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-:- Biographical Sketch of -:-

Nathaniel Young, Jr.

Will soon appear in this paper. His descendents are numerous, and should have a copy of this paper for reference.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Dr. F. E. Drake will return and open his dental rooms Monday, July 22nd.

My household goods are for sale at my residence, 15 Tucker St., Norway, Maine. Mrs. H. F. Richardson.

The greatest bargains of the season are shown in Noyes & Andrews' dry goods store. Call in.

Mrs. S. M. Seavey's dressmaking rooms will be closed until the first of September.

James Pledge is selling Western beef at the following prices: Rump and loin steak for 18 cents; round for 14 cents; roasts, 8 to 12 cents, and corned beef 5 and 6 cents pound. Speak to him on the cars.

Visit N. Dayton Bolster & Co. A large lot of English Decorated Toilet Ware. Call in and see them. South Paris.

Wash woman wanted at the Beal's Hotel. Will pay $4.00 per week.

Good boats and cottages on Lake to rent. Apply to T. L. Webb, at the Blue Store. 26tf

We have a good map of Oxford County, showing roads, brooks, mountains and towns, printed in colors on good bond paper. We sell them for 20 cents. Send one and two cent postage stamps and get one. 28tf

Mrs. Irving Frost on Whitman street has dry and fancy goods for sale at her house.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Mrs. H. M. Frost is visiting in Auburn.

Mrs. Charles Dinsmore and Fannie Tee have been visiting in Auburn.

Mrs. Annie Moore of Peabody, Mass., is visiting relatives and friends here.

D. G. Pride and wife of East Waterford spent a day or two with their daughter, Mrs. Horace E. Mixer.

One hundred and twenty-three tickets were sold at Norway depot for the Buffalo Bill excursion.

Mrs. V. W. Hills will spend her vacation at Prince's Point by the sea shore. She will leave about the first of August.

Arthur H., Jr., and Edith M. Bodkin went West Falmouth where they will make a long visit to their grandparents.

The Lodges of this vicinity are planning on a large attendance at the K. of P. field day at Livermore Falls, Aug. 8.

Mrs. W. W. Monroe and daughter of Dorchester, Mass., are spending a few weeks with her sister, Nancy Benson, on Paris street.

Hose Company No. 2 were out Tuesday evening trying some new nozzles. Boys are much pleased with the working thereon.

James Pledge's store and residence on Water street will be ready for complete occupancy in a few weeks. The family have already moved into some of the rooms.

A smart little four-year-old arrived in town Monday. He was Walter W. Barnes, who has been with his grandmother at Knightville in Cape Elizabeth, came to live with his father, William H. Barnes, the barber.

The following members of Company D and officers have been selected from the Norway military men to compete for positions on the state team: Capt. M. P. Stiles, member of the state team in 1894; Maj. John W. Carter, Corporal J. Waldo Nash, Capt. G. F. Bradbury, Major E. F. Smith.

We hear praise on every hand of Miss Hayden's mandolin playing at the recent entertainment at the Congregational church, which but confirms us in the opinion we expressed last week that it deserved the encores it received. We hope to hear her many times more.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bangs and wife gave a party for their two children, Mildred and Helen, last Saturday, the occasion being that the latter was one year old that day. Twenty-two other little folks attended and had a good time all around. There were a number of presents, but Miss Helen is most pleased with one lovely doll.

Jack Cole came along Sunday, put his head into our lap and whined. We found that he was suffering from a bad cut on the left foreleg made the previous day by a fragment of glass. Jack is one of the best known and most popular dog residents of Norway village, and his human friends offer their heartiest sympathy to the good dog in his misfortune.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Norway public library Saturday afternoon the resignation of C. F. Whitman as one of the trustees was accepted. Mr. Whitman is still a member of the board by virtue of his office as superintendent of schools. J. A. Roberts was elected to fill the vacancy and was also chosen president of the board. It was voted to accept the gift of $500 from Mrs. Otis Jones. The money is to be invested in a mortgage on real estate, one-half the income to be used annually. It is the desire of the management to build a library building in the near future. A beautiful solid mahogany table, the gift of Mrs. Laura J. Reed, was accepted.

There came into town from Grey very early in its history a man full of vim and physical strength, who set up the street now called Pleasant some two miles, built a small house, lived in it a few year, then moved it easterly a half mile across the fields and pastures and continued his life in it many years more. He had a family of nine boys and four girls, and for native strength, activity and vigor they surpassed all the families of Norway. One boy went to Plattsburg in Bailey Bodwell's Company in the "last war" and never returned, the other twelve grew up, all married, had large families and lived in the world from eighty to ninety-five years. "Norway in the Forties" will give the history of Nathaniel Young, Jr., in a few days.

Frank Stevens has bought a team.

Mrs. C. C. Hall and son Fred of Haverhill, Mass., are visiting Mrs. L.S. Warren

Joseph Snow has got home from Nova Scotia.

Al Hebbard has a job on the water works at Mechanic Falls.

Carrie Morgan has gone to York to spend the summer with her parents.

Dimon Hamilton of Norway has had his pension increased.

Lily May Hobbs has gone to her home in Fryeburg for a vacation.

William L. Perham of Washington D. C., was here Monday.

Chas. A. Frost is to build three houses on the Pleasant street Bearce lot.

Al Swan is to build a two-story house on Maple Street.

E. W. Bartlett returned Saturday from a trip in central Maine.

O. A. Morgan has moved into the Wm. C. Leavitt rent.

Ephraim Brown returned Monday from his visit to Rochester and Meredith, N. H.

George Ricker of Lewiston bought a number of horses in this vicinity last week.

Edith Farnum went to the C. E. Convention at Boston Saturday and is to stay till it closes.

Annie Richardson has been engaged as second assistant in the Norway High School.

Oxford County has 273 bicycles, Fryeburg 12, Norway 100, Oxford 10, Newry 12, Hebron 15, Paris 90, Buckfield 15.

Mrs. S. M. Seavey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Connor in Lynn, Mass.

One subscriber has been added to the Norway Telephone exchange thus far this month, the Beal's Hotel.

Hon. H. A. Messenger, a prominent man in Portland insurance circles, was in town Monday.

Lulu Hayden is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Annie Hayden Knight, in Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.

Joy Farnum, only five years old, went to school a mile and a quarter in district No. 8, and did not miss but two days.

There was a fair attendance Monday evening at Stone & Bartlett's auction of overplus stock of pictures and frames at their studio. Most went at low prices.

Fred Emery, formerly in trade in this town, is now on the road selling cigars, pipes and tobacco for a Portland firm. He was in town Tuesday.

W. I. Noyes of Lewiston, Assistant General Manager of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., was in town Tuesday.

Geo. F. Hathaway, Chief Engineer of the Norway Fire Department, was in Boston Friday on business relating to the fire department.

Sumner Bangs went to Hebron Monday. He will preach at Paris Hill and visit Sabattus and other places before his return to Newton Theological Seminary next term.

E. F. Hayden has gone to Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass., to attend the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the town's incorporation, which occurs Thursday of this week.

J. W. Swan & Co show in their window a miniature house made by prisoners in Houlton jail. All the rooms are fully furnished and the family is at home. It was carved with pocket knives and painted with a lather brush.

A. J. Avery, formerly foreman of one of the mulding rooms at the shoe factory, has gone into the candy, confectionery and cigar business on Main street, Saco. It is reported he is doing a prosperous business.

A new platform has been built at the railroad yard a little east from the upper switch. It is especially arranged for the handling of heavy vehicles on and off the cars, and will be useful if Norway ever has another fire so large that fire engines are brought from away.

H. H. Nevers, who plays on the Rockland base ball team, is second in fielding average in his club, with a record of better than 98 per cent. He is also third in batting average. Not bad for a boy less than 20 years old in his first season as a professional player.

C. A. Woodbury of Somerville, Mass., is spending a two weeks' vacation in this vicinity. He in company with F. W. Hanborn visited Four Ponds in Byron last week and caught some over 100 trout. Some of the largest trout would weigh over a pound.

Mrs. Clara Foster Case of Chatfield, Minn., is visiting friends in this vicinity. She has been absent some thirty years. She came to Boston to attend the Christian Endeavor meetings. Mrs. Case is a sister to Samuel Foster. She is stopping with N. B. Frost's family and would be glad to see her friends and acquaintances of years ago.

Although a noted contempory has said that one out of town officer was smart enough not to take complimentary tickets for himself and family for the Washburn circus, yet all the time the "shell game" was running in the centre of the big museum tent that very one was invited to enter, admission 10 cents, and thus far we have failed to hear of any arrests.

William Stevens of the firm of Stevens Jones Co. Portland, is visiting his mother, Mrs. James Shedd, at the lake, accompanied by his wife, and son Howard. Mr. Stevens returns Monday. Mrs. Stevens and Howard remain in town, and expect to spend the most of the summer at the Lake and at the Drs. Bradbury in the village. Mr. Stevens will spend as much time here as his business will permit.

Mrs. Charles E. Freeman is sick.

Henry J. Bangs is having the former library building shingled.

Inspector General W. S. Choates of Augusta will inspect Co. D the 20th.

E. H. Libby of Auburn has been in town the past week.

Mrs. A. J. Tubb's new house on Danforth street is ready for the plasterers.

Charles Pride is building a barn at his farm out on Cottage street.

A. L. Cook, wife and daughter were in Westbrook, Sunday, at his mother's.

Harry Swan of Lynn is visiting his grandfather, Benjamin Bacon, jr.

Dr. Nettie Bennett started Monday to return to Chicago.

H. J. Bangs has a stylish new grocery wagon.

Mrs. I. M. Evans of DeLand, Florida, registered at the Beal's Wednesday.

Mrs. Jones and daughter of Malden, Mass., are at Albert Richardson's for the summer.

Fred Stone has up the frame for a stable to go with his new house.

H. P. Elliott of North Waterford was here Wednesday.

We notice that the electric road company has fitted up a way station near the common opposite the fair grounds.

The remains of Daniel H. Latham of Portland were brought here Saturday for interment in the Pine Grove cemetery.

Hattie Knight of North Waterford went to Scarboro Monday to visit relatives.

Josiah Stone has recently purchased a stand on Tucker street of Mrs. Herbert Richardson.

There will be no preaching or Sabbath school at the Universalist Church till September.

Claude Cox, who has been at work in the shoe shop the past season, has returned to his home in North Norway.

Wm. C Leavitt and family are visiting at Colebrook, N. H., this week. They left home Monday.

Dr. Flower of Boston will deliver a free lecture at Norway Opera House Saturday afternoon, July 27. He will be at the Beal's House during the day.

G. A. Felber and family and Miss Rosa Rhodes, all of Revere, Mass., are spending the summer at John Rhodes' on Pike's Hill.

Charlie Richardson of North Norway is working in the shoe shop and boards at home, riding on his bicycle a distance of about six miles.

Justin Millett lost one of his valuable horses by eating too much grain. The horse got loose and helped herself to about one-half bushel of meal.

C. B. Cummings & Sons have bought several carloads of charlocks taken from the bottom of the ocean. It came from the Venetia which was sunk several months ago.

S. S. Smith got about sixty-five bushels of strawberries this season. He thinks it to be a little better than half a crop. A small crop was the general complaint with the strawberry growers this year.

The third meeting of the alumni of the Norway Liberal Institute and Norway High School will be held in the Opera House sometime during the month of August. The date has not been fully decided on, but will be soon.

It is hoped that the alumni of the old Norway Liberal Institute and Norway High School will bear in mind their annual meeting the last of August. The officers having the matter in charge are perfecting the order of exercises, and a very good time is anticipated.

Tuesday afternoon a span of horses hitched to one of the iron posts in front of C. B. Cummings & Sons' furniture store got to pulling and broke off the post. The driver then hitched them to an electric light post with the result that he would try to get something big enough to hold them.

Gen. Winfield S. Choate, Inspector General of Maine, will inspect the Norway Company Thursday evening, July 25th, at 8 P. M., at the Opera House. Full dress uniform and white gloves to be worn. Friends of the Company will find seats in the gallery. Members of Company who are absent without a good and reasonable excuse will be discharged before Muster. The Company will attend Muster Aug. 12-17.

Festivities at Bass Island.

A. E. Poole, Francis Doane, C. H. Masury and E. S. Hunt of Boston, are spending their annual vacation at Bass Island. This is the thirteenth consecutive year that the first three gentlemen have visited the Island and Mr. Hunt has been with them for the last four or five years.

They report the bass fishing this year to be rather poor though enough have been caught to keep the camp supplied and give them some good sport. The largest fish up to date weighed 2½ pounds. A party from the village, whose names appear in the guess contest, visited them Wednesday evening and was royally entertained with music and fireworks.

Much interest centered in the guess contest, as to the length of time it would take to burn a short piece of candle. The first prize was a large smoking pipe and sack of tobacco and the second prize a smaller pipe and tobacco. There was wide range of judgment as to the minutes the candle would burn as is shown below. The guesses were as follows:

Col. A. M. Dunham,	76 minutes.
Charles Goshlaw,	75 "
Geo. W. Horne,	60 "
Geo. A. Gunn,	58 "
C. S. Penley,	55 "
C. M. Smith,	50 "
Capt. W. W. Whitmarsh,	45 "
Capt. Horace Cole,	42 "
E. S. Hunt,	41 "
F. E. Bell,	40 "
S. H. Walcott,	37 "
Francis Doane,	35 "
A. E. Poole,	33 "
G. A. Cole,	29 "
C. H. Masury,	28 "
W. C. Cole,	26 "
F. W. Sanborn,	23¾ "
M. M. Fuller,	00 "

The candle held out to burn just 43 minutes and Capt. Horace Cole's guess of 42 minutes was the nearest and he received the first prize and there was a tie in the guess of Capt. Whitmarsh and E. S. Hunt and the ownership of the prize was decided by lot, and Mr. Hunt was the fortunate one though he very generously gave the prize to the Captain as a souvenir of the occasion.

The party have been experimenting with flying kites. The kites were made by C. M. Smith of Norway, and under his supervision and stirring appeals to "let her out" five kites were flown using some 7000 feet of string and were reeled in without accident to the kites though the strongly made reel broke under the pressure of bringing them in. The two lead kites rose to such a height as to be invisible.

The Boston party arrived at the Island last Saturday and are enjoying their outing very much.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

George W. Waterhouse lost a valuable 3-year-old jersey heifer last Sunday afternoon. In attempting to cross over a ledge in the pasture she fell quite a distance, striking on her head between two boulders, and when found her neck was broken.

The number of male dogs licensed in the town of Greenwood this year is 49, female 3. The year 1893 there were licensed 70 dog kind and one kennel. The law is cleaning out the worthless dogs in this town.

Mrs. Nellie Dudley of Dudley Cottage is having some considerable company just now, and more expected next week.

Mrs. L. S. Libby is visiting in Portland at her brother's, J. F. Felt's.

Rev. Mr. Barden of Bethel will preach at Union church, next Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

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5.00 buys a neat gray medium weight suit, worth, $9, sizes 35 to 42.
6.00 buys a dark brown mixed all wool suit, a bargain; sizes 36 to 44.
6.00 buys several small lots in broken sizes that have been $10 and 12.
7.00 buys a neat dark mixed all wool suit, cheap at $10; all sizes.
8.00 buys 7 different lots of all wool suits, in serges, mixtures and cheviots; have been $10, 12 and 13.
Young Men's Suits, $4, 5, 6.50; former price, $6, 8, 10.
Knee Suits very cheap.
20 doz. Men's Neckties, 15 cents each, sold very where for 25c.
The balance of our stock of Straw Hats we will sell at cost.

The above are all new goods of the latest style and made this season. We bought them cheap, and propose to give the public the benefit of our fortunate purchase.

CUSTOM TAILORING DEPT.

We have a few pieces of Woolens and Worsteds and about 40 Pant Patterns which we want to convert into money. Will make them up very cheap.

Don't miss this great opportunity to save money. You will never find such trades again. When we advertise Bargains WE GIVE THEM.

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Annual Meeting

Of the Stockholders of the Norway Building Association for the election of officers, the report of the Treasurer and other committees, and the transaction of any other business, will be held at the Norway Opera House, Monday, August 5th, at 4 o'clock, p. m.

F. W. SANBORN, Secretary.

Norway, Me., July 16, 1895. 31-3t

SOUTH PARIS.

F. D. Pike is building himself a carpenter shop on his lot, the second north from the county buildings. He intends later to erect a residence.

Mrs. F. D. Pike and little daughter have been visiting relatives in Hebron.

F. D. Pike went blueberrying on Streaked mountain the other rainy day. Reports that he got wet and had a good time.

John J. Hayden will have a nice home when his new house on Western avenue is finished. This is a handsome cottage, finely located. The rooms are of good size, well lighted, and the bathroom is large. Running spring water will be piped into the house. We took in the view from the balcony the other day and can say that it will be superb to look right over the tops of South Paris and see Paris Hill, No. 4, Singepole and Streaked mountains loom against the rising sun.

W. H. Cook expects to move into his new house on Western avenue in about a month. This will be a good, comfortable dwelling, with running water, furnace heat, bathroom, etc., and an especially nice piazza, ornate in its build.

Blanchard Stuart has so far recovered as to be out of doors.

Some slight repairs have been made on the outside of the Paris Manufacturing Co.'s plant.

Prof. Frank T. Wingate and Miss Bertha K. Bryant of Lewiston visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook Saturday.

John Bennett has in his garden sweet corn that shows full grown spindles.

Hattie A. Leach, Alice King, Frank A. Thayer and George A. Briggs went to Paris Hill last Sunday to sing at the Universalist services. Lizzie Leach was organist. Rev. E. Fitzgerald from Vermont preached and will do so again next Sunday.

Friday last E. T. Bowers of Lewiston visited J. H. Turner.

Richardson & Kenney have turned around the big desk in their office and generally revised the room's arrangement in the interest of utility.

J. H. Jones is taking a business trip in Aroostook county.

Several went to Norway Sunday to hear Miss Angell preach.

J. F. Plummer's new store awning artistically matches the building colors. Carpenters are building two flights of outside stairs to the second story.

P. P. Davis of Rumford was here recently.

Some papering and interior decorating is going on at D. W. Purrington's.

Commencing July 21 there will be no preaching at the Congregationalist Church for three Sabbaths.

Dr. Frank W. Brett of South Braintree, Mass., is in town for a week or ten days.

Herbert G. Fletcher and wife are visiting at George Cobb's in Portland. Guy Buck has charge of the barber shop during Mr. Fletcher's absence.

Fred Wright, who is attending business college in Portland, spent the Sabbath with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. J. S. Wright.

H. W. Powers placed another chair in his barber shop, together with new working cases and mirrors.

Mrs. Sarah Cushman with daughter, Alice, from Rockland, Mass., are visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. M. Whitman.

S. A. Farrar of Boston and son, S. D. Farrar, a former member of the Philadelphia base ball club, but now engaged in the clothing business at Melrose, Mass., have been visiting relatives here. They are now fishing in the Rangelys.

W. G. Hartwick and F. L. Doble gave a public trial of the washing machine at West Paris the other day. They are general successful in making sales.

Monday we received a telephone line from Bethel was strung into this village. The workmen report that near Bryant's Pond one of the linesmen, while at the top of a pole, was attacked by hornets from a neighboring tree and forced to jump from his perch without having a circus performer's net to alight upon. They went to Bethel Tuesday to put in the exchange wiring there.

George Jones spends considerable time with his daughter's family at their cottage by Lake Pennesseewassee.

Sumner Tucker report that his York county trip in the washing machine business was very successful. He goes back sometime this week.

James Bennett and friends, Mr. Mitchell and wife, from Massachusetts, who have been visiting at John Bennett's, made a picatorial trip to Bryant's Pond Monday.

Benjamin Russell sold a horse to one Ricker from Lewiston.

Dwight Wise and friend from Boston are visiting his parents.

The Twenty-third Maine Regiment will hold its annual reunion, August 8, in this village.

Edward Morrison of New York is at Leander Billings'.

May Maxim, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Cambridge, Mass., last week.

May Libby of Farmington was here recently.

Benjamin J. Fitz, a former South Paris boy, but now living in North Bridgton, is canvassing in Andover.

Mrs. William Brett is visited by her sister, Mrs. William Brown, who formerly resided here, but now lives in Nebraska.

Frank Shurtleff is able to attend his business, again.

Mrs. William Hedges of Hyde Park, who has been visiting at John Bennett's, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young from Natick, Mass., is visiting relatives in town.

B. A. Evans has a fine looking vegetable garden.

English decorated toilet ware, new shapes and designs at N. Dayton Bolster's. Call and see them. Twelve pieces including covered slop jar for $16.

Holmes' notes 10 cents per dozen at this office. Sent postage paid on receipt of price.

S. E. Tucker came home last week from Kennebunkport where he has been selling the Automatic Washer. He reports good sales and says it's the best business he ever saw.

F. L. Doble is satisfied with selling washing machines and proved it by secuering Franklin Co. after having bought Oxford Co.

W. G. Hartwick, the owner of the State of Maine, has sold 80 machines in the town of Paris, and we have never heard any complaint of the machine, but will say that it gives perfect satisfaction in every family that has purchased one. To see the machine operate is proof of the merits claimed for it.

Twelve carloads of handsome cherry-colored brick have come for the county buildings. From thirty to forty men are employed. The foundations are all laid with the exception of a small part for the dwelling. The court house walls are well started and floor timbers laid. All the frame material is on the spot.

Benjamin Y. Russell has bought a horse up country in place of the colt he sold.

Mrs. Barrows on Gothic street has added a dozen window to her house and made some repairs.

Frank E. Buck's new stable is almost done.

About fifty of our villagers picnicked on Streaked Mountain Wednesday.

The G. T. R. is having their switchman's house shingled. Also repairing will be done on the platform at the passenger station. M. B. Lougee of Gorham, N. H., foreman carpenter of the Atlantic Division, has charge.

H. P. Dennison went to Canton Wednesday.

The Paris Manufacturing Co. have begun making sleds and sleighs for next winter. They have recently added several new saws and another sand-wheel to their plant.

Mrs. A. M. Brewer and Clara Davis of Freeport are visiting at H. P. Dennison's.

Mellen Cummings fell from a load of hay and dislocated his elbow.

BETHEL.

A small farm for sale within two miles of Bethel village; forty acres of land, new buildings, and a good chance for a small family; will be sold cheap. Inquire of Frank Rich, Bethel, Maine.

Calvin Bisbee, wife and two children went on an excursion through eight or ten towns last week with their team, arriving home Saturday. They stopped over night at a friend's house in Sumner, Mrs. Hollis, where four generations reside—the great-grandfather, Fletcher, the daughter, Mrs. Hollis, her son and wife and their child. The old gentleman is ninety years old and the house is ninety-nine years old. It is not often you find four generation under one roof and the house older than all.

Laura C. Hall has a fine lot of Bethel souvenirs on sale, also painted china in full stock and a choice assortment of stationery and bric-a-brac and fancy goods.

Mrs. Mary Benson of Rockland, Mass., is on a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Rich.

William Hasting's colt has caught on to jumping a horizontal pole and seems to think it great fun. As soon as Mr. H. holds up a stick the colt will make for it and leap over, appearing to greatly enjoy the fun.

Mrs. Mary MacDonald, a trained nurse of Cambridgeport, Mass., accompanied Mrs. Benson to Bethel last Saturday, as the latter was not able to travel alone.

Sharps at the circus last Saturday tempted some of our townsmen to risk money on the shell game in the hope of getting two dollars good money for one, and many of them got badly beaten. It has been estimated that at least two hundred dollars were secured by the circus sharps. Those who lost money so foolishly tried to lay the blame on the officers the law and reported that they were bought up. This we deny. The sheriffs were hired to do police duty on the grounds for the day. No mention was made for any special favor, and the lawyers received a retaining fee only. Mr. Park and Sheriff Penley recovered a large amount of lost money.

Asa L. Young has five crews of men in the woods cutting ship knees, four in the States and one in Canada. He says small knees are in better demand than large ones. Mr. Young caught sixty-five trout one day last week in the Daniel Holt brook. He is quite a sport.

Mrs. Abiel Chandler is very sick at this writing.

Master Eddie Harvey of Gorham is visiting at Col. Edwards'.

Hattie A. Bragg of Hartford, Conn., is visiting friends in town.

Alice Mason and Miss Boothby returned to Beech Mountain Monday.

Dell Edwards, wife and child, returned Tuesday to their home in Caribou, Me.

John Barker, wife and child of Portland are visiting at Frank Barker's on Vernon street.

BIRTHS.

In Oxford, July 11, to the wife of William F. Bixby, a daughter.

In Bethel, July 1, to the wife of Harold Brown Chapman, a son.

In Bethel, July 11, to the wife of Eugene Bean, a daughter.

In East Sumner, July 4, to the wife of Fred S. Partridge, a daughter (Marial Frances.)

In Oxford, July 9, to the wife of Henry Francis, a son.

In West Sumner, July 14, to the wife of Clarence Buckman, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

In Portland, June 29, Rev. J. B. Howard of Oxford and Lucy E. Marston of St. Johns.

In Stoneham, July 4, by Sumner Evans, Esq., George Brown to Lucena McAllister, both of Stoneham.

In West Paris, July 11, at Samuel Kyle's by Rev. A. K. Bryant, Walter E. Cole and Rosa Ray, both of West Paris.

In Norway, July 12, by Rev. Caroline E. Angell, Prince E. Strout and Rachel Weeks, both of Norway.

In Sumner, July 9, by Rev. J. E. Berry, Valmore Dunn and Mrs. Ella G. Cole.

DEATHS.

In Brownfield, July 9, Osgood Carr, aged about 60 years.

In Denmark, July 9, Fred Q. Haines, aged 43 years, 7 months.

In Denmark, July 13, Mrs. R. C. Harmon, aged 60 years.

In Floral Park, N. Y., July 11, Susan G., wife of Satchiel Tilton, aged 68 years.

In Sumner, July 15, Elphalet Spaulding, aged 84 years.

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SPECIAL TRAIN EACH WAY.

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Norway and So. Paris, and Stations east, - - - 75c.
Also Round Trip Excursion Tickets, to any Station will be issued at one fare, but not exceeding Portland rate.

Special Train leaves Gorham,—6.35 a. m; Bethel, 7.11; West Paris, 7.40; Norway, 7.45; S. oth Paris, 7.55.
Arriving at Portland, 9.30 a. m.
Returning leave Portland, 6.00 p. m.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas Charles W. McKenney of Buxton, in the County of York and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed, dated the sixteenth day of March A. D. 1890, and recorded in Western District Oxford County Registry of Deeds Book 81, pages 96, 97 and 98 inclusive, conveyed to Jeremiah M. Mason of Limerick, in the County of York and State of Maine, a certain lot of land known as "Boston Hills" situated in Denmark, County of Oxford and State of Maine, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on Moose Brook, at the corner of land of A. and P. B. Young, thence Westerly by said Young's land to Saco River, thence North easterly by Saco River to land of Sanborn heirs, thence North-easterly by land of Sanborn heirs and land of Joseph Bennett to Moose Brook, thence Southerly by said brook to first named bound, containing nine hundred acres more or less, being same premises conveyed to said Charles W. McKenney, by Aaron McKenney and David H. Hastings, by deed recorded in Oxford County Western Registry of Deeds at Fryeburg; also two lots of land in Denmark, aforesaid, known as the "Hangood Lots," bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the Westerly side of the road leading from Denmark Corner, to Gilbert Warren's at the Negro Corner Road, so called, thence Southwesterly by the Negro Corner Road to land of William Bean or owners unknown, thence Westerly by land of William Bean or owners unknown, to land of the heirs of Ara Pike, thence Easterly by said Pike heirs' land, to land of owners unknown on the side of the mountain, thence South-easterly by land of Gilbert Warren, thence Southerly by said Warren's land to first mentioned road, thence by said road to first mentioned bound, containing two hundred acres more or less. Said premises were conveyed to said Charles W. McKenney, by Aaron McKenney by deed recorded in the Registry aforesaid. Also another parcel or tract of land in Denmark aforesaid, known as the "Pleasant Mountain Lot," bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the Westerly side of the road leading from Joshua Warren's house to "The Pleasant Mountain House," at the corner of land owned by Joshua Warren or owners unknown, thence Southerly by said road to land of Wyman Harnden, thence South-westerly by said Harnden's land to a Corner, thence Westerly by said Harnden's land to land of Joshua Warren or owners unknown, thence Northerly by said Warren's land or owners unknown, to first mentioned bound, containing four hundred acres, more or less and same premises conveyed to said Charles W. McKenney by Aaron McKenney by deed recorded in the Registry aforesaid.

Reference to records aforesaid may be had for further particulars of description, and whereas the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, now therefore by reason of the breach of the conditions thereof, I the said Jeremiah M. Mason, claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and I give this notice for that purpose.

Limerick, July 12, 1895.

29-3t JEREMIAH M. MASON.

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School Fund and Mill Tax, 1895.

The following apportionment has been made to the towns and plantations in Oxford County:—

	No Scholars.	Amount.
Albany	139.	484.57
Andover	243.	603.85
Bethel	550.	1366.73
Brownfield	363.	902.04
Buckfield	291.	723.12
Byron	55.	136.67
Canton	265.	658.52
Denmark	197.	489.54
Dixfield	336.	834.95
Fryeburg	408.	1013.87
Gilead	81.	201.38
Grafton	22.	54.67
Greenwood	227.	564.08
Hebron	53.	131.70
Hartford	188.	464.18
Hebron	145.	360.32
Hiram	295.	733.06
Lovell	187.	464.69
Mason	33.	82.00
Mexico	196.	487.06
Newry	99.	246.02
Norway	952.	2365.69
Oxford	385.	956.72
Paris	864.	2147.01
Peru	228.	566.57
Porter	303.	752.94
Roxbury	62.	154.07
Rumford	778.	1933.21
Stoneham	116.	288.36
Stow	104.	258.44
Sumner	256.	636.15
Sweden	91.	226.13
Upton	77.	191.34
Waterford	285.	708.22
Woodstock	222.	551.66
Franklin Plantation	41.	101.88
Lincoln Plantation	20.	49.70
Magalloway Plantation	23.	57.15
Milton Plantation	87.	216.20
	9,323.	$23,167.36

WEST BETHEL.

Edgar P. Farwell with wife and daughter, Ada, of Somerville, Mass., are here on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. W. A. Farwell has returned home from Gorham, N. H.

Willie Mills is at work for W. H. Merrow.

Loy Eyster has returned from his haying trip, and is now look after the interest of his crops planted and will cut the hay on the place.

Mrs. Geneva Valentine has returned to her home at Melrose, Mass.

Mrs. Mary E. Holt is being visited by her granddaughter, Ethel Perrald.

There are now several boarders at Maple Grove House, E. P. Grover, proprietor. This is a pleasant place to stop.

S. W. Potter had a nice mess of string beans from his garden, July 11.

Henry Bean is cutting the grass on the Chandler farm as the boy.

S. A. Coffin and brother, Ken, of Gilead was at W. A. Farwell's last Sunday.

GREENWOOD.

PLEASANT HILL.—John Small met with a very serious accident last Thursday by falling from a load of hay. He was driving into the barn with a load when a wheel struck some obstacle which threw Mr. Small off. He fell in such a way that one of the horses stepped upon him making a fearful wound upon his chest and shoulder. Rev. A. K. Bryant was present and dressed the wound making him as comfortable as possible until a physician could be called. Also two little boys who live in Mr. Small's family got badly hurt at school last week. Lester Bennett the oldest boy fell from a large boulder, hitting his head upon some sharp substance, making a wound from which he bled freely, and the same day his little brother Earl fell upon a scythe at noon recess and cut a deep gash in his leg.

G. C. Cole while coming home from West Paris with a barrel of flour and several bags of grain, found himself thanking his lucky stars that he was on the ground instead of in his wagon when he saw it part company with his horse when near the top of a long hill and plunge to the bottom where it overturned, but nothing very serious happened only a broken harness and a very surprised man and horse. A broken whiffle-tree was the cause.

A. E. Cole killed a very large water snake while out in a boat after lilies. The snake was very vicious striking at the boat again and again.

Mrs. G. C. Cole, Mrs. B. J. Cole and Mrs. L. M. Swan met at their father's, S. B. Cummings' July 12th, it being the first time the sisters have all been together, though they have lived within the distance of eight miles of each other, for four years.

We had a very pleasant call from our old friend, N. G. Bacon, July 4th. Mr. Bacon is over seventy years of age yet he retains his faculties to a remarkable degree. He can do some very fine work making boots and shoes.

W. C. Woodis has been very sick but is some better at this date, also Orville Ames is very low.

A Coming Musical Treat.

Phila May, the Coos County nightingale, whom our people admire so greatly, is to say good-bye to the concert stage in Aug. is making a short tour of the principal towns of Coos, and a few of Oxford. Norway will be visited Aug. 5. Her operatic engagements and work compel her to permanently leave the concert field with the beginning of next season. She will bring with her two artists new to Norway,—Miss Helen Hubbard, the talented reader, from the oratory department of Harvard College annex, and Mr. Wilbur McCall, the brilliant pianist, late of the Royal Conservatory of Music, Munich, Germany. The Grand Trunk will issue half fare tickets between Mechanic Falls and West Paris. Next week we shall give full particulars regarding concert, ticket sale, etc.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS,—Death has again entered our lodge and taken our beloved sister, Etta Cummings, and borne her spirit home to the silent mansions of the dead. We shall meet her no more in our lodge room, but we will strive to meet her in the Grand Lodge above.

RESOLVED,—That while we are deeply sensible of the great loss to our Order we will ever keep in memory the noble traits in her character, and as the links in our fraternal chain are being broken, one by one, may we through love and sympathy be drawn closer together.

RESOLVED,—That we tender our heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved husband and other sorrowing relatives who are left to mourn the loss of one who was always faithful in whatever path duty called and who the memory of her deeds of love and charity be a silver lining to the cloud that now overshadows them.

RESOLVED,—That these resolutions be published in the Oxford County Advertiser, a copy sent to the husband of our departed sister and one inscribed on the Records of our Lodge.

Sister, thou wast mild and lovely,
Gentle as the summer breeze,
Pleasant as the air of evening
When it floats among the trees.
Peaceful be your silent slumber,
Peaceful in the grave so low;
She no more shall join our number,
She no more our songs shall know.
Yet again we hope to meet

On Statutory Grounds.

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

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By this time Suzanne was fully awake, and she sat still, like one turned to stone, listening. Philip's voice sounded very stern and clear as he responded:

"I do not know who is at fault in this dreadful work, Mrs. Montrose, save yourself. You come here and tell me to my face that you destroyed my letters to Mildred, hoping to alienate us. You succeeded, and now you find that Mildred is ill and wretched, and you know that I am unhappy, and you ask me to undo the dreadful work, by which you mean, I suppose, unmarry myself. May I ask you, madam, how you expect me to do this?"

The woman's weak, complaining voice made answer: "Oh, I'm sure I don't know how, only I know people do get divorces very easily nowadays. This person you have married would probably be very willing to accept a few thousand dollars and let you go free to marry Mildred. I have come to see plainly that Mildred will never get over her infatuation for you. Ever since she heard of your marriage she has gone down in health, and finally I told her the truth about what I had done, feeling that she might be happier to know at least that you had only married out of spite, thinking she was false to you. But she seemed to pine away all the faster after she knew that. I feel like a murderer, and so I just decided to come to you and see what could be done. You are a young man, and it is awful to think of your facing a lifetime of marriage with a wife you do not care for and seeing the woman you do love die for your sake. Everybody says your wife is such a common person, it seems to me we could arrange the matter in a quiet way, if we were liberal in our offer. Of course Mildred does not know that I have come to you today, it is all my own idea."

There was silence for a moment, and then Philip spoke again. His voice sounded strangely in Suzanne's ears.

"I hope Mildred will never know of your errand here today, Mrs. Montrose," he said. "I think it would be the last blow to her pride if she did know. Allow me to inform you, madam, that in

He presented the ladies to his wife.

spite of what people say I have a wife who loves me devotedly, and who would no more accept money from you than she would accept alms. I would as soon strike a knife in her tender little heart as I would insult her with such an offer. She knows nothing of my love for Mildred, and I trust never will. She may not be an ideal wife for me, but I have married her, and with God's help I mean to make her as happy as I can under the unfortunate circumstances."

"Then you will let the woman you love die rather than free yourself from a wife you only endure," interposed the lady petulantly. "I tell you Mildred is certainly going to die unless we can save her in this way. Divorces are not pleasant things, I know, but they are obtained every day"—

"Madam, do you know that a divorce is obtainable only on statutory grounds in New York?" cried Philip in a white heat of anger. "And do you suppose that I would drag my name or my wife's name through a mire of that kind even were it possible to bribe witnesses to lie for me? You are talking like a maniac, Mrs. Montrose, and I must beg you to draw this conversation to a close. It is very painful to me."

Suzanne heard the lady rise and go, heard the hall door close. Then she slipped from her hiding place and made her exit to her own room. Philip went down to the street soon afterward and walked for an hour before returning to his apartments. When he did return, he found Suzanne had retired with a blinding headache. She was very pale the next day, and there were dark hollows under her eyes.

"We shall have to get out of town if you continue to feel so badly," he said, "but I have a rich patron who is coming back from Europe the middle of June, and I rather wanted to wait for him. I think he will take two or three paintings for me."

"I shall be all right in a few days," Suzanne said. "This first spring weather taxes my strength." But Philip, despite his preoccupied mind, noted her continued pallor and lassitude as days went by and felt anxious to get away from the city. At the same time, so long as Mildred Montrose was in town, he felt as if chains of burning gold bound him there. Oh, the hunger and thirst for the sight of her face again! And when he least expected it they met. He had gone out with Suzanne for a promenade. She looked so pale and ill that he urged her to walk in the open air while him. On their return she had complained of thirst, and they entered a pharmacy to obtain an iced lemonade. Standing before the counter was Mildred and her aunt. Mrs. Montrose was the first to speak, and Suzanne bit her lip till the blood came to restrain a cry of terror and surprise at the sound of the voice which had spoken such terrible words only a week previous.

"Mildred and I have been shopping, and she grew faint, and we came in here for some refreshing drink," Mrs. Montrose said as Philip lifted his hat and then he turned and looked in Mildred's eyes for one second before he presented Suzanne. In that one second Suzanne saw such a transfiguration of her husband's face that she scarcely recognized him. The brooding eyes grew luminous, the stern mouth tender, the jaded, worn expression gave place to one in which love unspeakable, joy, hope and peace were all mingled.

Then he presented the ladies to his wife as they passed out with only a bow of recognition. Suzanne remembered nothing of Mildred's face, only that it was pale, delicate and sad. She had not looked at the owner of the terrible voice. She had not dared. But the memory of Philip's face as it had looked, as it might look, was burned indelibly upon her heart.

The next day Suzanne told Philip she was going out to walk and begged him not to disturb himself. She would only walk in the quiet streets, and she would return in an hour or so.

That night a certain attorney-at-law, who lived in a quiet street not many blocks from Philip's studio, said to his wife at the dinner table:

"I had the strangest caller today—a lady—who puzzled me more than any one I ever met in all my practice. She was young and rather handsome, but looked ill and unhappy. She came to ask me what getting a divorce on statutory grounds meant. When I explained, she seemed very much agitated and left the office abruptly without seeming to realize that she should offer me a fee for my advice. I felt too sorry for her to mention it, so I allowed her to go. Evidently she is in some sort of marital trouble. But I am willing to swear that she is the innocent party."

It might have been a week later when Dick Dunning stood in the postoffice on the Maine fishing coast curiously regarding a letter which had just been handed to him by the postmistress. A letter was an event in Dick's life. He did not remember to have received but one before in his life, and that one told him that his father and mother had both died of smallpox away up in the Maine woods. This second letter was written on creamy thick paper in a cramped, childish hand, and it ran as follows:

DEAR DICK—You sed when we parted if I ever needed a friend to call on you. You sed you'd die for me. I don't want you to die, Dick, but I need a friend. Maybe when you know all I want you'll think it's bad as dying, but I don't ask you to harm a living soul. Only come to New York—come to the Union Square hotel, corner of Fourth avenue and Fourteenth street—and send me a line here in your own hand saying you'll come. Then I'll see you there and tell you all. It's life and death to me, Dick. You won't come? Tell nobody. SUZANNE.

Over Dick's face a strange look had passed. His nostrils dilated, and his eyelids twitched, as he walked out of the postoffice and toward the house he called home now that Cummins Jack was no more his host.

"If he's treated her ill, I'll beat his body to a jelly," he muttered. "Poor little girl, poor Suzanne! Yes, Dick'll be your friend while he's a leg to walk on."

With all the odd looking people who came to the Union Square hotel—that rendezvous of theatrical eccentricities—the office clerk noticed particularly the country youth who registered from somewhere in Maine that May night. A fisherman from the coast, he felt sure, because when he took up the penholder with which the young man had scrawled his name it exhaled a strong odor of fish—that insistent odor which seems to saturate the very blood of those who have daily contact with the finny tribe. Even the note which he wrote a few moments later and sealed by rubbing his closed fist over its surface gave forth the same suggestive odor when it reached its destination the next morning. It was Philip who took the letters from the hallboy's hand, and he glanced curiously at this odd looking and ill smelling missive which bore his wife's name, Mrs. Suzanne Hughes, upon a Union Square hotel envelope. "A letter for you, Suzanne," he said as he held it toward her across the breakfast table. It was the only letter she had received to his knowledge since she became his wife. Suzanne grew pale to the lips, and her hand shook so that she was obliged to hastily set down the coffee cup which she was lifting to her lips. She toyed with her breakfast a moment and then asked to be excused.

"Are you not going to read your letter?" Philip asked suddenly, a strange annoyance at his heart. Suzanne had looked and acted unlike herself of late. He could not understand her. She stood with her head dropped, her hand resting on the back of her chair, silent for a moment. Then she looked him full in the eyes. "You shall know about the letter tomorrow," she said. "Until then please ask me no questions."

"I shall never refer to it again until you do, most certainly," Philip replied as he resumed his breakfast. So his wife had secrets? Well, that was a new phase for her to develop. It was some charitable scheme perhaps. She was full of benevolent impulses, or it might be some surprise which she was preparing for him. Then he ceased to think about it or her until he heard her voice at the studio door an hour later. "I am going out Philip," she said. "I have some errands to attend to. Do not feel anxious if I am not back in time for lunch." Before he could speak or ask a question she had gone. Yes, surely Suzanne was preparing some surprise for him, he thought. A dressing gown or slippers, which she was having made for him, and the letter was about that, asking her to come and see the work no doubt. Well, he must practice his most surprised look, so to please the poor little thing when the denouement came.

He lunched alone, and then he went out for a long walk in the park. It was dark nearly when he returned. He was surprised to find no light in Suzanne's room. He entered calling her name, but there was no response. He lighted the gas and looked in the studio and in the sleeping apartment, but there was no trace of her. On the dresser beside his hat brush lay the queer looking note which she had received in the morning. He pushed it aside with his cane, and went out to question the hallboy. Had Mrs. Hughes gone out, and had she left any message? Mrs. Hughes went out early in the forenoon, as early as 10 o'clock, the boy said. She had not returned since. Philip waited until 8 o'clock. Then he ordered dinner for one. All their meals were sent up from the cafe on the first floor, and they kept no servant in consequence.

He ate a solitary dinner and smoked his cigar afterward, and the evening dragged along to 10, half past 10, 11. Then Philip resolved that he was justified in reading the letter which lay on his dresser. Before he sent the police officers in search of her he must obtain whatever clew were possible from this letter. This was what he read:

DEAR SUZANNE—I'll be at this hotel, like you tole me to be, all day tomorrow waitin for yer. Your frend til death. DICK.

The note was mailed the previous evening. If a fiery bolt from the May heavens had fallen at his feet, Philip could not have been more astounded. He did not love his wife, but his pride, self respect, faith and trust all had received a tremendous blow, and he staggered under it. There was no mistaking the wording of the letter. Suzanne had written to Dick Dunning, her old admirer, to meet her at the Union Square hotel. She had gone there to keep an appointment with him at 10 o'clock in the morning, and she had not returned. Well, he would not send an officer to look for her, that was sure. He would wait the developments of the next 12 hours. There might be, there must be, some explanation of this terrible mystery. Suzanne was utterly ignorant of the ways of the world, and she might have some explanation of this remarkable occurrence when she returned. But at noon the next day she had not returned, and then Philip Hughes sent a messenger boy to ask his best friend, Lawrence Wentworth, a young attorney, to call and see him on important business.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

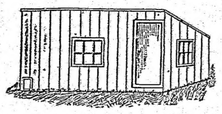
FARM AND GARDEN

A FOWL HOUSE FOR RENTERS.

A Detached Building That May Be Cheaply Constructed and Easily Moved.

In country towns and villages there is a considerable class of small poultry growers, who, being renters and therefore liable to moving about from one place to another, require poultry houses that may be transferred along with other goods and chattels without great expense. For the benefit of this class is here given an illustrated description of a plan of house recommended by the editor of Farm Poultry as suited to the requirements of renters. He says:

We give the plan of a house such as we should build were we on a rented place, or, if we adopted the "colony plan," of having detached houses set 150 feet apart over the fields, with the fowls having free range. This house we should build 9 by 12 feet on the ground, 7 feet high in front, 4 feet high at the back, with a half window at each end, and a door, a

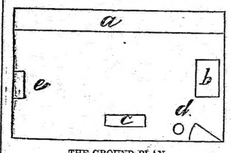


EXTERIOR OF POULTRY HOUSE.

half window and a little slide door in front. We would have sills 4 by 4 inches around bottom, all the rest of the frame being 2 by 4 stuff, all strongly spiked together, the studs and rafters being not over three feet apart.

Such a building made of cheapest boards and covered—roof and walls—with Neponset roofing fabric (and painted) would be moderate in cost, so light it could be drawn by a pair of horses easily after being pried up and two pairs of low wheel put under, and would last many years. In placing it, the ground should be thrown up so as to make it a foot above the surrounding level; small stones or blocks set at intervals for the sills to rest on; then boards put down into the ground and nailed onto the inside of the sills.

In the ground plan *a* is the roost platform, 20 inches from the ground, with top of roost pole 10 inches above it; below it two or three movable nest boxes set back to the light; *b* is the dusting box; *c*, feed trough, just under the window, for the morning mash; *d*, the water pan; *e*, oyster shells box. The center of the floor space is open ground



THE GROUND PLAN.

for scratching, and here should be litter, such as chopped straw, leaves or chaff, into which the grain-feeds should be thrown to compel scratching. Such a building would house 12 to 15 fowls comfortably, and could be multiplied indefinitely, according to number of fowls kept.

Digging Potatoes by Machinery.

An expert can dig half an acre even of drilled potatoes in 10 hours if the crop is clean. But ordinary men would be about three days digging an acre. The cost of this amount of labor, including board, would be about $4. There are more farmers who get their potatoes dug at a greater cost per acre than this than there are who pay less. Thus writes Mr. T. B. Terry of Ohio, who has been very successful in potato farming. For three years past he has used a digger which cost $100. Hand labor has been entirely dispensed with except at the ends of the field and when digging unripe potatoes for the market. About an hour's work in the morning and as much more after dinner would dig as many potatoes as his help would pick up. With the conditions all just right, he has dug an acre in two hours, but ordinarily it would take about three.

Instead of paying out about $50 a season for extra help to dig his crop, the machine now does it, and of course he pockets the $50. This is more than literally true now, for of course the machine has more than saved its first cost. Again, he can rush business, putting all the help at picking up. He is quite independent, also, for any one can pick up, but few can dig well and fast. The machine wears fast, but probably $10 would cover the wear to date, writes the author of "New Potato Culture."

Stone Walls.

There is a great deal said of the cost of laying up stone walls for farm fences and keeping them in good order, but it is principally a baseless notion. I can point to thousands of rods of wall that have done duty for over 100 years and are as good as ever today. The cost of the work of ordinary walls is but little more than for many kinds of less durable fences. I know of a single wall laid up with stones none too flat and stable, yet which has done excellent service for over 30 years and shows no signs of rust or decay. Occasionally a stone or two has rolled off, but the breach was easily repaired and did not occur so often as the dropping down of a length of board fence.—Cor. Farm Journal.

The Life of Bees.

Meehan tells in his Monthly that bees seldom live over a year, and but a few months it is generally supposed in most cases. Large numbers of dead bees are found under Wistarias, Judas trees and other early flowering plants, and it is often attributed to some poisonous quality in the flowers. It is simply cases where the bees' "time has come."

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PREHISTORIC.

Herbs used as a Medicine by the Indians for Centuries.

Through an Old Story

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A Criticism.

Can any of the readers of your estimable paper suggest a remedy for the cure of a certain class of kleptomaniacs in our midst? I refer to the robbers of cemeteries, the desecrators of graves. Why do our village graveyards wear that neglected aspect and forsaken look never seen in city burying grounds. Certainly our loved ones are remembered long and tenderly, but the poor pleasure of decorating their graves is denied to us, for anything but the most common plants and wild flowers are immediately stolen. Rose bushes are torn to pieces and the branches thrown on the ground after the buds and blossoms had been culled. Geraniums and other tender plants which are not taken whole, root and branch, are "slipped" until they die in the ground. Flags, placed by loving comrades over the last resting place of "our noble dead," are sometimes broken off and become playthings for the boys of a rising generation. Can the parents of those boys expect them to grow up patriotic, useful citizens?

Decoration Day is a harvest for the shameless, heartless, (and we will hope soulless) thieves who commit these outrages, and they gather a bountiful crop of plants, bouquets, wreaths, pillows, crescents, etc., if everything has not been cared for before nightfall by the proper owners. It is a disgrace to our boasted civilization that creatures made in "God's own image" and "little lower than the angels" can flock like vultures in the train of each funeral procession to steal boxes of white satin ribbon from bunches of lilies, or whole floral pieces which weeping friends have left above their sacred dead. And these things are not done exclusively by the so-called rough element, but by well dressed and presumably respectable people.

Is there no remedy? Cannot the owners of lots in each cemetery club together and hire a watchman or patrol for their respective burying ground and catch some of the miscreants and make an example of them. A few cents per week from each lot owner would cover the expense and put a stop to a great nuisance; and some of our leading young men might thus be forced to find more suitable hiding places for their whiskey bottles than on consecrated ground.

"And ever near us, tho' unseen,
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MRS. CORA M. W. GREENLEAF,
July 13, 1895. Norway, Maine.

SOUTH ALBANY.

The rain last Saturday was welcomed by every one, for it was needed badly.

E. E. French of Auburn was at J. P. Mason's last week, also John Fox and wife of Lovell.

Florie Brown of North Waterford recently spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Martha Sawin.

J. W. Dresser has bought a new Buckeye mowing machine of J. D. Horr. Henry Sawin has sold one to Wallace Cummings of Albany of a different make.

Roland Flint of Norway is at work for J. F. Lord.

L. A. Sawin, wife and son visited at Seth Moore's of North Bridgton last Sunday.

Will Allen of North Waterford is at work for Henry Sawin, helping him to cut his hay.

Will Lord and wife of Waterford were at J. F. Lord's last Sunday.

Mrs. Sewell Abbott and daughter, Ida, and Mrs. Abbott's mother, Mrs. Lebroke of Waterford were at George Abbott's last Thursday.

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12. Twelfth of William (3) James Hooper (3) b. April 21, 1822. He was named for the famous parson Hooper, one of the earliest and best known Baptist ministers of Paris.

In the spring of 1842 when twenty years of age our James went to Lexington, Mass., where he worked on a milk farm that summer. In the fall he returned to Maine and taught the winter term of school at East Waterford.

Now it so happened there was a well-to-do farmer living in that district by the name of James H. Chadbourne, and he had a daughter Mary, and Mary, like other good girls, attended school. The reader will note results later in these papers.

The reader of these papers must have noted how often the young men of Norway have found their wives among the girls of the "back seat," while "keeping" school among the hills of Old Oxford County.

The season following his term of school, our James went into business with Leonard Brown at Welchville. Mr. Brown soon died which ended that venture. James then formed partnership with Louis Crockett for mercantile business at Newry Corner. While doing business there he often visited East Waterford, and finally Mary went to the little hamlet of Newry Corner with him as his wife. A year later (in 1847) he sold out the Newry business at auction, and was with his brother, William (3) on his North Norway farm one year.

In March, 1848, he bought a small farm at East Waterford, adjoining the farm of Col. James H. Chadbourne, his wife's father, and went to farming.

He had at this time, as we have seen, two brothers, located on the prairies of Illinois, and they were writing of the wonderful fertility of the soil there, and as he read their letters and looked out upon his own few, rocky, broken acres of barren land, who can wonder that he should have a severe attack of the western fever.

It carried him off in Sept. 1851. He changed his Waterford property into money, took his Mary and his two children, and taking the cars at Paris Cape, (they had reached that place only the year before) went by rail to Buffalo, N. Y., by boat to Detroit, Mich., by rail to New Buffalo on Lake Michigan, thence by boat to Chicago. From that city he went in a south-westerly direction by canal a hundred miles, then across the prairie eighty miles in a wagon, to Hudson, Ill, where his home has been for forty-four years.

He writes: "We travelled over the prairie mile after mile with not a house or tree in sight, nothing but grass and weeds. It looked lonesome, and I thought it never would be settled; but every part of it is now in fine farms worth from $20 to $100 per acre. I bought a farm of myself, but my brothers wished me to open a store here, then a small place of six houses.

The Illinois Central R. R. Co. was just running out their line, a camp of surveyors being in the timber as I came to town."

James H. commenced trade in the little settlement, his business increasing and growing with the place, his family also increasing in numbers, until by and by, after the railroad had come and after he had been on the prairie ten years, one day in July two boys stopped at the house. They were heartily welcomed by our James and his Mary, and have remained in the family ever since.

As time went on the firm name was changed to "James H. Cox and Sons," and still as seasons went by and the country prospered, the old immigrant felt the weight of his seventy odd years, and as the two July boys had come to their three and twenty summers, the sign over the door was changed once more, this time to "Cox Bros." That was eleven years ago, (so rapidly time flies) and our James turned over $8000 to his twin boys.

James H. writes further: "God has blessed and prospered me and mine ever since I left good old Norway." He reposes good schools and many churches, and a University seven miles away. He has been postmaster twenty-five years.

James Hooper Cox (3) b. April 21, 1822, m. Mary Ann Chadbourne Feb'y 5, 1846. She was b. in Harrison Oct. 6, 1825, and d. in Hamilton, Ill., Dec. 22, 1891. They have five children:

First of James H. (3) Charles Edwin (4) b. in Waterford, Me., Sept. 25, 1848, m. Ellie Dart Sept. 25, 1870. He is a farmer in Vandalia, Ill., which is on the Illinois Central R. R., south of Bloomington, and the capital of Fayette Co. He has six sons and one daughter living. No further returns.

Second of James H. (3) Flora Sweetser (4) b. in Waterford June 5, 1850, m. John W. Aldrich March 17, 1872. He is Pres. of the First National Bank at Normal, Ill., five miles north of Bloomington.

Mr. Aldrich was b. in Uxbridge, Mass., Dec. 10, 1838, left there in 1865, went to Hudson, Ill. in 1868, and moved to Normal in 1885. They have three children all b. in Hudson:

A. Grace Dell (5) b. April 28, 1873. She graduated at Normal University in 1893, and is now at the University in Chicago.

B. Flora Blanche (5) b. Nov. 20, 1877, is a student at Normal University.

C. John Cox (5) b. Jan'y 10, 1882, is a student in the preparatory department of Normal University.

Third of James H. (3) Nettie (4) b. in Hudson, Ill., Dec. 6, 1856, m. Rev. F. M. Smith, Oct. 5, 1880. He is the Baptist pastor at Missouri Valley, Iowa. No children.

Fourth and Fifth of James H. (3) Herbert Melville (4) and Harry Whitmore (4) twins, b. in Hudson, July 17, 1861. On Oct. 1, 1883, Herbert M. (4) m. Mae Downey. They have two children both b. in Hudson:

A. Edith May (5) b. August 31, 1886
B. Fred Herbert (5) b. Sept. 10, 1888.

On Jan'y 3, 1893, Harry W. (4) m. Saidee Gray. They have one child, Mary Alexia (5) b. Feb'y 10, 1890.

We have already seen how the "twins" have fallen heir to their father's business in Hudson.

13.—Thirteenth of the immigrant William (2) b. Oct. 7, 1824 and named Rowena (3) m. Claudius Augustus Noyes, the fourth child and fourth boy of Rev. David Noyes, the early Norway Historian. He was b. Oct. 17, 1820. David Noyes, Esq., owned the pine farm at the Centre, later called the Gibson farm. "Gibson's Grove" made a part of it. They were m. May 9, 1843, and went to housekeeping at his father's homestead. Just as the war closed they moved to Cambridge, Mass., where they remained seventeen years, when they moved to Boston, where their home has since been.

Mr. Noyes was a farmer for several years, then in the lightening rod business, later, and for some years now, a dealer in gent's furnishings on Summer street, Boston.

They have six children, all born in Norway.

First of Rowena (Cox) Noyes, Sarah Maria (4) b. March 10, 1844, m. Dec. 25, 1864, Don Alonzo Robinson. He is a physician. They settled in Charleston, Vt., later in Island Pond, Vt., and are now in Coaticook, Can.

Sarah M. (Cox) Robinson has three children as follows:

A. Winifred Rowena (5) b. in Charleston, Vt., May 17, 1866, m. Dec. 28, 1893, Aaron Alexander Pomeroy of Compton, Canada. They have one child, Selah Robinson (6) b. Sept. 28, 1894. This is the only great-great-grandchild of immigrant William (2) I have discovered.

B. Blanche Louise (5) b. in Island Pond, Vt., June 30, 1869, d. in Coaticook in February, 1892.

C. Bernard Noyes (5) b. in Island Pond, March 15, 1871. He is in the gent's furnishing business in New Haven.

Second of Rowena (Cox) Noyes, Charles Claudius (4) b. Sept. 12, 1846, m. April 20, 1874, Jeannette Mabel Pease, d. Feb. 26, 1884, in Boston. He was a dealer in gent's furnishings in Boston.

The following notice appeared in a Boston paper at the time of his death: "Mr. Charles C. Noyes, a gentleman well known in musical circles in Boston, died last night at his residence in Hotel Clifford of consumption after a protracted illness, at the age of 37 years. He came to Boston from Norway, Me., about twenty years ago and entered the employ of Jordan, Marsh & Co. A few years later, in company with his brother, David W., he formed the well known house of Noyes Brothers, which has attained deservedly high reputation among the gentlemen of the city. He was a director in the Elm City Shirt Co., was formerly a member of the Handel and Hayden Society and Cecelia Club, and was also a member of the Royal Arcanum. He was of a quiet, undemonstrative nature, but made many fast friends."

They have three children, as follows:

A. Edith Rowena (5) b. in Cambridge, March 26, 1875, resides in Boston.

B. Lora Mabel (5) b. in Boston Feb. 25, 1877.

C. Stella (5) b. in Boston August 1, 1878, d. July 16, 1880.

Third of Rowena (Cox) Noyes, David William (4) b. April 18, 1848, m. Oct. 18, 1875, Hattie Drew Riley. He is a member of the firm of Noyes Bro., dealers in gent's furnishings on Summer street, Boston.

They have three children, as follows:

A. Gordon Augustus (5) b. in Cambridge, April 11, 1878, living in Boston.

B. Chester David (5) b. in Boston Oct. 11, 1884.

C. Grace (5) b. in Boston, June 12, 1888.

Fourth of Rowena (Cox) Noyes, Rowena Elizabeth (4) b. Aug. 3, 1852, d. in Norway, Sept. 24, 1853.

Fifth of Rowena (Cox) Noyes, Carrie Ella (4) b. June 12, 1856, m. Oct. 26, 1881, Samuel Dustin Goodenough. He is a provision dealer in Boston.

She has two children, both born in Boston:

A. Helen (5) b. May 15, 1885, d. in Boston June 30, following.

B. Byron Moulton (5) b. Jan. 16, 1891.

Sixth of Rowena (Cox) Noyes, Emma Rowena (4) b. Aug. 3, 1858, d. April 20, 1860, in Norway.

14.—Fourteenth and last of the immigrant, William (2) named Algernon Phipps (3) b. Sept. 4, 1826, d. Sept. 15, 1832, of "canker-rash."

Since writing of Caroline Elizabeth (3) in No. 203, more authentic information has reached me. I give dates and facts as follows:

She m. Capt. Wm. Henry Sweetser, and lived in Portland, Me., in Newton, Mass., and in Boston. He d. in Watertown in 1881. She has four children as follows:

First Mary Caroline (4) b. in Portland, Me., Dec. 24, 1834, m. George Henry Quincy, and has two children. A. George Gilbert (5) b. in Portland m. Elizabeth Salesbury of Chicago and resides in Ashburnham, Dorchester, Mass. B. Charles P. (5) b. in Portland, m. Henrietta Ives of Salem, Mass., and has residence in Chicago.

Second of Caroline E. (Cox) Sweetser, Flora (4) b. in Portland and d. there in infancy.

Third of Caroline E. (Cox) Sweetser, Ellen Gertrude (4) b. in Portland, m. Dr. William Adams (4). His first wife was Ellen Very of Newton, Mass.

Fourth of Caroline E. (Cox) Sweetser, Giles Pease, who d. in San Francisco in 1892. She has two boys, both b. in San Francisco, the oldest, Giles (5) in 1880, the youngest, Robert Quincy (5) in 1883.

Here ends the history of the old immigrant and trader, William Cox (2) so far as I have been able to learn it.

June, 1895.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—John Davis of this city, took a severe cold and suffered pain through the back and kidneys. His physician pronounced his case gravel, and failed to help him. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was recommended, and after taking two bottles he was cured. It has never failed in gravel or urinary troubles. 29-30

THE DISCOVERY SAVED HIS LIFE.

Mr. G. Cailloutte, Druggists, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. My liver was taken with the La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail, and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it. Get a free trial at NOYES' DRUG STORE.

BETHEL.

Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Grover have been visiting old friends here. They now live in Brockton, Mass.

Calvin Bisbee, with his family, is taking a carriage trip to various places for pleasure.

T. B. Goodwin has purchased a new boat and launched it in Songo Pond.

Fred Edwards caught a monster porcupine in Walton Wigin's yard.

Prof. Simpson is studying law with Hon. A. E. Herrick.

The ladies' quartet, Edith Grover, Mrs. Ava Finney, Mrs. Flora Wight and Mrs. S. W. Burnham are doing some fine musical work.

Repairs have been made about the chair factory boiler.

Fred Clark has moved his meat market into the Packard block.

Ex-Principal Merriman of Gould Academy is touring in Switzerland.

From the Universalist church Agnes M. Kimball, Joan Stearns and Annie M. Frye attended the Y. P. C. U. Convention in Boston. Miss Frye is State Secretary.

MIDDLE INTERVALE.—Quite a jolly turnout, with Ned Carter for teamster, on their way to the Leon W. Washburn great allied show at Bethel Hill July 13.

Our little Mollie Carter, who has been away among relatives in New York and New Jersey for about one year, has returned to her old home with a little friend with her.

L. M. Blanchard, our meat man, made a call July 13 with first class meats. He makes a trip from Hanover twice a week, and all who need meat should patronize him.

W. H. Mitchell, agent for the Bethel News, also canvasser for Farmer's New Guide, is in town.

H. H. Packard of Bethel Hill has been helping D. M. Kimball in the hay field.

Mrs. L. B. Packard from the village is here visiting.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

W. E. Foss has built a new pig-sty.

Lucinda A. Foss of Wayne is visiting her nephew, Walter E. Foss.

E. N. Swett returned Friday from his vacation. Mrs. Swett and the baby are still with her relatives at Island Pond, Vt.

Several children in the village have whooping-cough.

Myrtle French is visiting Mrs. Jennie Grant Danforth in Gorham, N. H.

Daniel H. Latham of Portland, who was in Norway the past spring, was found Thursday in a dying condition in the attic of the house which he occupied in Portland, suffering from acute pneumonia. He died soon after. He worked for the Maine Central railway.

Mrs. Arthur Morgan started Saturday for York Beach, where she will spend the rest of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Trafton.

Anna Johnson of Waterford was here the other day, stopping at George Crooker's.

Mrs. Persis R. Bradbury is visiting her son Pearl in Malden, Mass.

Belle Harriman is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Addie Knight, in Westbrook.

I. C. Lombard of Steep Falls, Limington, is in town.

A painter has retouched the kitchen at George Crooker's.

J. W. Atherton of Waterford stopped with his sister, Mrs. George Crooker, one day recently.

W. E. Alden of Auburn was at F. D. Briggs' Saturday.

Moses Harriman and wife are taking a trip to see relatives in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

Mrs. F. D. Briggs is better.

Everett Crooker of Brockton, Mass., is visiting relatives here.

A. E. Stearns, esq., of Rumford Falls was in town the other day on his way to Lovell.

C. D. Waters, General Agent of the Great Eastern Line, was here over Sunday.

Charles H. Masury, E. S. Hunt, E. A. Pool and Francis Doan, all of Boston, are having an outing at Bass Island. This is the thirteenth season that these gentlemen have taken their vacations at Lake Pennesseewassee.

Bessie and Rose Horne have been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McKeen's at Gorham, N. H.

Alonzo Brickett of Waterford came over Friday and saw his old friends and associates here.

Mrs. George Crooker has growing in their front yard a climbing blush rose some eight feet in height and bearing sixty to seventy clusters of buds and blossoms. These cluster have from six to twenty roses in each. Beside this many blossoms have been cut off. The variety is Baltimore Belle.

Mrs. Moffett from Massachusetts is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Julia McAllister. Mrs. Moffett was a former Norway girl, Mary Jane Bullen.

Prof. Herbert Russell of Owego, N. Y., is visiting his mother, Mrs. George W. Russell.

The Smiley shoe store has received a new coat of paint on the center tiers of shelves.

Joseph A. Hibbs of Hebron was here Saturday.

Considerable hay was out in the rain Saturday.

F. W. Alexander of Boston is visiting William F. Jones.

Rev. B. S. Rideout preached at the Poland Springs Hotel Sunday. W. E. Lombard occupied his pulpit.

Several Norway people went to South Paris Sunday to hear Prof. Anthony preach.

C. E. Johnston started Tuesday for Hanover, N. H., where he will spend five or six months in study at the Dartmouth Medical College.

Mrs. A. N. French and Lutie were in Lovell last Sunday.

A good appetite and refreshing sleep are essential to health of mind and body, and these are given by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Fryeburg Academy.

Ernest R. Woodbury, a graduate of Castine State Normal School, and of Bowdoin College, has been elected Principal of Fryeburg Academy. He was recommended by the president and professors at Bowdoin, by the retiring principal, Mr. Hull, and by Albert F. Richardson, who was principal from 1883 to 1888.

Mr. Woodbury is a son of the late Roliston Woodbury, formerly of Sweden, who was for many years the popular principal of the Eastern State Normal school at Castine.

The newly elected president stood second in a class of fifty at Bowdoin.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

How Charles Philpot Conquered a Mad Bull.

A True Story of Olisfield in the Olden Time.

[BY MARY TAPLEY.]

Among the early inhabitants of Olisfield, that old substantial and law abiding town, ever famous for her giants, eccentrics, cranks, and musicians, lived a man of might and renown named Charles Philpot. Where he was born or from whence he came we are unable to state, nor did we ever know or hear of any other person bearing the same name. All we know of his origin is that he was somehow or in some way related to the illustrious Weston family.

He was a man of quiet and gentlemanly demeanor, never stooping to indulgence in low witticisms or laughing at jokes, however witty, that were likely to injure the feelings of any one, however humble.

Though as an athlete, boxer or wrestler he had no equal in town he was never known to take part in or even notice any brawl except to make peace or defend the weaker party when wronged.

In stature and physique he was a splendid specimen of manhood, standing six feet three in his stockings, slim but wiry, his prominent, sharply cut features, projecting brow, piercing black eyes and firmly set mouth proclaiming the tiger when aroused.

As the reader is aware he lived in the good old rum times, the return of which is to some sorrowful to contemplate and anxiously awaited by a certain class at the present day. No husking, hauling, raising of a building or other job requiring a gathering was ever undertaken without a good supply of the ardent, and if any man from conscientious scruples or any other cause, failed to furnish what was denominated the one-thing needful, he was at once denominated a sneak, and ten to one had his premises set afire to injure him to twice the amount of money paid for the rum.

On one particular occasion (we think a haying) a large number became what they called gloriously drunk. One of the number owned a small, but very spirited mare, so quite a number who were going his way bantered him for a ride. "Yes, yes," said the owner, "get on all hands, an' welcome, she'll carry the whole scrape on ye, if ye can only manage to get on." So, by the help of the bystanders, four of these drunken fellows were mounted before and behind the lively driver, while a fifth grasped her long, flowing tail and perched himself upon her gambrels.

The poor beast was now ordered to move, which she did but for a step or two, and then plunging headlong into the adjacent ditch, happened to pinion the larger portion of them into the mud and water, to the great diversion of the bystanders, who were too much elated to think of extricating either the men or beast from their perilous positions, as all lay with their heels up.

Two of these mauled Henry and Jim, after trying to get up until they had become completely exhausted, lay back and commenced to moralize.

"Well, Hen," said Jim, "I'll tell you what, I believe it costs all it comes to to live."

"That's so," replied Hen. "And its my candid opinion it would have been two hundred and fifty dollars in my pocket if I had never been born."

This rejoinder was greeted with loud cheers and laughter by the entire crowd, except Philpot, who, filled with wrath and shame at such beastly and cruel conduct, fairly trembled as he approached the drunken, helpless pile.

First assisting the poor beast to her feet, he rubbed her cramped and mud bespattered limbs. He then pulled off her bridle and turned her by the roadside to feed. Then seizing a heavy whip from one of the bystanders he dealt furious and well directed blows among the mud bedaubed crew, especially over the head and shoulders of the owner, until they all as one cried for quarter and promised to never repeat the act.

But to our story. Some two miles from the home of our hero lived Reuben Sampson, a clever, good natured man, but far noted for the perpetration of practical jokes, which he had practiced to such an extent as to become a regular crank.

One day in early summer he went to Harrison. Having some business with a noted cattle broker he was invited to stop and dine.

In the barn he espied a small bull of fierce and belligerant aspect chained to a post and blinded by a stout piece of canvas.

"What's this," inquired Sampson, "and why is this creature subjected to such rough treatment?"

"Why," replied the owner, catching his breath in his usually excited manner. "That one's the darndest critter ye ever see in all yer born days. He like ter killed the whole scrape on us yesterday, but by the help of the neighbors with pitch forks and two bull dogs we got him inter the barn and there he is. After dinner we're gwine to shoot him."

The fertile brain of Sampson at once saw a chance for fun, and he at once proceeded to carry out his plan so quickly and adroitly formed.

"Oh, don't!" exclaimed Sampson. "It's a shame to kill such a plucky little fellow. Now I have quite a number of fine fruit trees in my cow pasture which are sure to be robbed by the boys every year, consequently they are of no use to me. Let me have him, he'll be better than two watch dogs."

"Take him at your own price," replied the owner, and the bargain was closed at once.

He was driven home, yoked with an ox of three times his own size, and turned to pasture as designed.

"Now," said Sampson, addressing his wife and rubbing his hands in high glee, "I'll have some fun. Charles Philpot is coming to hoe to-morrow with several others, see if I don't get him into a burl with Taro."

"Don't, Reuben," replied the kind hearted lady. "You carry your jokes too far, besides playing on the wrong persons. You know Charles never plays any games on you or any other person, so I consider it cowardly and mean. Besides he is a good man, I fear he will be killed."

But Reuben was incorrigible and refused to hear to his wife, anyway, declaring that if Charles got mad, as he was liable to, and gave him an outrageous licking, as he was amply able to do, he had rather endure it than relenquish a purpose so fondly cherished. So the matter was dropped for that time.

Next morning of the expected crew was on hand and the work went merrily on. Toward noontime the part of the corn patch which had been cultivated the preceding day being nearly finished, Reuben asked Charles to take the bridle from the carriage house and go to the pasture for the horse, so as to finish cultivating the piece immediately after dinner. Charles shouldered his hoe and proceeded as directed, nothing suspecting, while Reuben proceeded to unfold his plans.

"Now," said he, "there is no other man I would dare to send to that pasture but Charles, and you know he never yet met his match. You know the bridle is furnished with a heavy cavalry bit which will be a pretty effective weapon if rightly applied, so let us get up on that big rack where we can have a good sight."

Charles soon found the horse and was able to adjust the bridle, when he was suddenly startled by a loud bellow and beheld the bull coming toward him at a furious gallop. Charles left the horse and at once prepared to receive his adversary, adroitly avoiding his first charge by dodging behind a tree, he grasped the infuriated animal firmly by the tail with his left hand, while he dealt terrific blows with the bridle in his right upon the back of the bull.

Finding all his efforts to rid himself of, or turn upon his tormentor, as turn which way he would he was still behind him and raining blows thick and fast, cutting the thick hide at every stroke, he took a bee line across the pasture, bawling in a most pitiful manner, leaping over windfalls, through quagmires and clumps of bushes, closely followed by his captor, still applying the bridle with unabated fury, until completely exhausted the bull fell to the ground, turning upon his side, and distending his tongue apparently in a dying condition. Charles now released his adversary, wiped his brow upon his sleeve, walked slowly back to the horse, bridled and led him coolly to the barn as though nothing had happened.

No word was uttered by either party at the dinner table or during the afternoon regarding the adventure. But when poor Taro came up at night he presented a most pitiful picture, his back being lacerated in a horrid manner, causing him to curl up in one corner of the yard, occasionally uttering low and plaintive moans, nor did he ever fully recover, his spirit and courage being forever broken.

In fact he was never known to show fight to anything or even bellow. So the naughty boys stole the fruit as usual without fear of molestation.

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The 16th Maine Regiment are to have a reunion at Presque Isle Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 14th and 15th.

EAST HEBRON.

Several commenced hay making just before the dull weather came and had to remain out a number of days on that account.

The fourth passed without much display in this vicinity. Two games of base ball were played in the so-called Tomb field, the French from Frenchtown and Chase's Mills taking part.

Mrs. Persis Gilman and Mrs. Lysander Berry from Anson are at Mrs. G.'s mother's and brother's, W. H. Berry's.

Mrs. W. H. Berry's health is improving.

H. N. Merrill and wife have another addition to their family, a big plump lad.

Alton Keene is still obliged to walk with crutches, from the effects of an ankle sprained in playing base ball some two weeks since.

Geo. W. Packard has lost three 4 months old pigs, one on each Tuesday for three Tuesdays in succession. They died in a few minutes after they became sick and bloated after they died to an unusual large size.

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Mabel Irish closed a term of ten weeks school in South Hill district last week. The prize for the finest specimen of pressed wild flowers was given to Annie Shaw and for the neatest book of wild flowers to Alice Davis. School closed with a picnic, ice cream, cake and lemonade.

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CASCO.

Josie E. Hanson has gone to South Windham for a few weeks.

B. F. Cook of East Oxford visited his nephew, E. A. Barton, recently, also Uncle John Stone of Windham, who will be 90 years old next April, took dinner at E. A. Barton's the 1st. Uncle John is very smart, having walked from Windham Center that day, some 18 miles.

Warren Sylvester of North Yarmouth has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Hall Edwards.

Martin Qualey and family of Norway visited friends here recently.

Mrs. Jessie Hamlin is gaining slowly.

George Shane and family visited at G. W. Burgess' Saturday.

B. Phinney and family of South Windham visited at G. K. Hanson's recently.

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UPTON.

Edgar Coolidge is up from Newry to hay for Bennett Morse; also Wm. Whitney is helping him hay.

There are but a few cases of measles in town now.

There was a horse race the first of the week between Tom Warren and C. Chase. No purse as yet heard of.

J. Orne Douglass is at work for Ed. Noble.

Eunice Abbott of Norway is visiting at J. W. Judkins'.

Quite a number of the young folks attended the horse trot at Bethel the 4th and on their way back stopped to the dance at Newry Corner. A good time reported.

Walter Strickland has recently purchased a fine cornet.

H. P. Chase's horses took fright one day last week and ran, tipping the cart over and hurting Mr. C. quite badly.

SCROFULA

Miss Della Stevens, of Boston, Mass., writes: I have always suffered from inherited Scrofula, for which I tried various remedies, and many reliable physicians, but was relieved not. After taking 6 bottles of S.S.S. I am now well. I am very grateful to you, as I feel that it saved me from a life of untold agony, and shall take pleasure in speaking only words of praise for the wonderful medicine, and in recommending it to all. Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free to any address.

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The August Wheel Meet.

At Norway, June 7th.

The following is a list of events and prizes to be raced for at the August meet:—

Race No. 1.—One Mile Novice:—
First Prize—New York racing tires, given by Waltham M'f'g Co.; value $15.
Second Prize—One pair tires, given by Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.; value $12.
Third Prize—Fine saddle, given by the Eclipse Co.; value $3.
Fourth Prize—Kombi camera, given by H. D. Cole (optican); value $3.50.

Race No. 2—One Mile Open:—
First Prize—Diamond ring, given by N. W. C.; value $50.
Second Prize—Custom suit, given by Noyes & Andrews; value $30.
Third Prize—Morgan & Wright tires given by Morgan & Wright Co.; value $12.
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First Prize—Double barrel shot gun, given by Wm. Read & Sons; value $35.
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First Prize—Swell's special bicycle, given by L. P. Swett; value $50.
Second Prize—New York tires, given by New York Tire Co.; value $15.
Third Prize—McIntosh coat, given by J. W. Swan & Co.; value $13.50.
Fourth Prize—Custom pants, given by Harry Lane; value $6.
Fifth Prize—Hunt saddle, given by J. M. Linscott; value $5.

Race No. 5—Mile Open Tandem, paced by a Triplet:—
First Prize—Two suits, given by H. B. Foster; value $30.
Second Prize—Two travelling bags, given by Merritt Welch; value $6.

Race No. 6—Two Mile Club Team Race, Open:—
First Prize—Clock, given by V. W. Hills (jeweler); value $15.
Second Prize—Rug, give by C. F. Ridlon; value $3.

NORTH NORWAY.

As Mrs. Harry Greenleaf was starting for church Sunday afternoon her horse became frightened from some unknown cause, dashing across the road over a high fence. Mrs. Greenleaf was thrown among the ruins of the fence and carriage, tearing her clothes and bruising her head and face in a shocking manner. Happily no bones were broken, and it is hoped she received no material injury.

Dora Kirwin from Bridgton is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. S. J. Shedd.

Will Maxfield is helping Ambrose Farnum do his haying.

LOVELL.

The well-known faces of the summer boarders are appearing again in our midst. Rev. J. E. Warren, with his son, daughter and niece, are occupying his new cottage at the Centre. Mr. Field and family and Mr. Stark and family from Cambridge are at J. M. Farrington's. Miss Nellie Hutchins, Miss Allison and some others are at Fairview.

Mrs. M. F. Charles of Reading, Mass., (formerly Sarah Foster,) is visiting at Warren Charles'.

Mrs. Dr. French and Miss Lulie French of Norway were here over Sunday.

S. F. Kimball is at his father's during haying.

Children's Day was observed at the Christian Church Sunday the 14th.

C. C. G. Reynolds and wife of Boston are visiting at W. O. Brown's.

One day recently, while engaged in drawing hay on Warren Charles' farm, the horses of W. O. Brown became frightened and ran with a load of hay from the field on the easterly side of the road over the wall into the pasture, across the pasture and struck the end of the pole against the large maple tree there. Not much damage was done.

M. A. Farmer works for Sumner Kimball through haying, and Otis Gilman for Benjamin Russell.

Mrs. Mary Hariman is stopping at S. G. Manson's.

Edith Andrews of North Fryeburg was at A. M. Pottle's on Sunday, and attended church.

EAST HEBRON.

The foul weather of Saturday and Sunday found the farmers in poor condition for rain, with a great many cocks of hay out, and much more still that had not been raked.

Several families from this place visited Streaked Mountain on Saturday in quest of Blueberries and were well repaid for their labor by finding an abundance of blueberries.

Mrs. Berry is not gaining, as was hoped.

Mrs. Almon Record came home last Friday to pass a week with her son and sister, Clara Washburn.

Mr. Stone went to Auburn to work haying, and closed his house for the week.

C. F. McKenney and Geo. W. Packard have each bought a new mowing machine, and Frank Pierce a horse rake.

N. A. Record and J. DeCoster worked for R. P. Fuller last week hay-making. DeCoster has worked at this same place the last ten haying seasons.

Henry Shaw and wife are getting on finely with their home bakery, and meet with good success selling food in Buckfield.

Meetings are thinly attended since haymaking came on, rest is preferable to sleeping in church when one is tired.

City visitors are giving our neighbors rest now for a short time.

Sweet corn is spindling and looking fine. New potatoes from the garden grace the farmer's table. Cucumbers are nearly large enough for use. Beans are in blossom.

Noah Bicknell bought Edward Allen's horse which he left for sale when he went to Lynn.

Edward Allen and wife have taken a tenement and rent the rooms they do not occupy.

A good shower Sunday afternoon removed the dust from those who visited Streaked Mountain on that day.

C. L. Perry took his little son Carl to church with him on his bicycle, having arranged a seat for him so he can enjoy a ride.

HEBRON.

Mrs. Victoria Barrows and Eva Barrows of Chelsea, Mass., are spending their vacation in Hebron.

Laurin Clark attended church at this place Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Sargent have returned home from New York.

Lulu Walton and Mabel Bartlett of Chelsea, Mass., are spending the Summer at H. G. Cushman's.

Emily Bearce is at work at W. E. Sargent's.

S. P. Maxim has the frame of his new house up.

The young people had a social gathering in the gymnasium Friday evening and all pronounced it a good time.

Large numbers of people have been on Streaked Mountain blueberrying the past week. They find plenty of berries and of good size.

F. S. Pike is at work for S. P. Maxim.

Prof. H. L. Whitney has returned to Boston.

DENMARK.

Edward Wilson of Portland left his law office to come and assist his mother in haying.

Rufus Bennett and wife, who have worked some six years in the kitchen department of the Insane Asylum, Worcester, Mass., are having their vacation. He has been West and his wife stoping at Old Orchard. Rufus came to his old home here last week for a few days and returned Monday.

Lizzie Newell went to Old Orchard Monday.

Blueberries are being picked in large quantities on Pleasant Mountain.

The Maple Wood and Colby Cottage are well filled with summer boarders.

Edgar Jewett is haying at Hiram.

Some thief took a nice ham that Almont Pingree had out smoking Friday night.

The case of Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Hartford to recover money paid for a cow, taken from court and referred to C. O. Pendexter and L. A. Ingalls, came before them Saturday, and the suit was withdrawn and stopped.

Stephen Jewett went to Portland Monday with a box of nice live trout.

Geo. R. Bean has newly shingled his house.

These items are written with a glass pen, a very fine thing.

Mrs. E. E. Swan is very sick.

Mrs. Dr. Brown entertains the Union Circle the 17th.

Mrs. R. C. Harmon, who has been sick for several years with a chronic trouble, died July 13th with meningitis. Mrs. Harmon has been a great sufferer, and for several weeks her sickness was so painful that reason was dethroned and her best friends were the same as strangers. Friends and neighbors did everything in their power to sooth her sufferings. She will be greatly missed in her home circle and by a large number of friends. Funeral services were held at her home the 15th, Rev. Mr. Hoyt of Hiram officiating.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Mrs. Everett Only and two children from Boston, Mass., are visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Matilda Masher.

George Green and daughter, Alice, of South Paris and a lady who has recently come from the West have been visiting friends in this vicinity the past week.

Cyrus Green still remains quite feeble.

Charlie Hilborn had his deformed calf photographed one day last week. It grows well and is quite a curiosity.

The apple crop seems to be rather light in most of the orchards.

The farmer say that the pototo bugs are more numerous this year than ever, and it takes a good deal of Paris green to kill them.

Grain is looking fine and so is corn, although a little backward in some fields.

Sylvia Chadbourne has been visiting her uncle, Joshua Sanders, for a few days.

Al. Martz, with his show, exhibited in J. F. Lewis' Hall last Wednesday night to a good house.

Rev. R. W. Pond gave a very interesting lecture at the vestry last Friday evening, with magic lantern pictures, on "The Life of Christ," for the benefit of the Sabbath School.

Blueberries are retailing here at eight cents a quart and raspberries at ten cents.

John Kneeland of Boston, Mass., who has been conductor on the railroad for over thirty years, has been visiting his brother, Sylvanus Kneeland, and other relatives in town the past week.

J. D. Horr has sold nine new and four second hand mowing machines, three tedders and one horse rake this season.

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EAST OXFORD.

Alice French from the village is visiting at E. I. Richmond's.

Dr. Marshall and wife of Portland visited his sister, Mrs. Addie Thomas, a short time ago.

P. T. Billings and wife went to Lisbon Falls last Saturday to visit their daughter, Mrs. D. S. White. Mr. Billings returned home the first of the week. Mrs. Billings will remain with her daughter a couple of weeks.

Mrs. E. I. Richmond and Alice French went to Lewiston last Saturday.

MASON.

Simon Stahl of Gorham, N. H., was in town the past week.

John Barker and wife of Portland visited at S. O. Grover's last Friday.

The Sewing Circle last Wednesday was well attended, over seventy being present. Several members were added. Next circle meets with Mrs. Addison Bean, July 24, at which a picnic and supper will be given. Twenty-eight took supper at the last circle.

F. I. Bean has improved his barn by putting in new sills and laying a new floor.

Addison Bean sold sold the melodeon that has been used in the church fifteen years to Henry Donahue and secured an organ of William J. Wheeler of South Paris.

Philip Rolf of Albany is helping cut Addison Bean's hay.

Mrs. Harden and two sons of Passaic, N. J., are boarding at Charles Brown's.

EAST BUCKFIELD.

A few days ago Daniel A. Tuttle cut his index finger off on his left hand at the second joint. He was clearing the cutter of his mowing machine and the horse started.

Clara Merrill has been visiting her sister a few weeks.

Mrs. George Record returned to her home last Sunday.

William Cashman from Hartford passed through this place last Saturday with a load of new potatoes bound for Lewiston. On his return home he reported that he sold them for $1.50 per bushel.

Last Sunday about six o'clock in the afternoon the Dann brothers' house was discovered to be on fire, but it was put out before much damage was done to the house. The fire started up stairs in Mrs. Sarah J. Dann's sleeping room. The bed was consumed. How the fire caught is unknown. Perhaps a spark came from the chimney and blew in at the open window.

Edward S. and Seth L. Mason from Northwest Bethel spent Sunday, the 17th, with their brother, Justus B. Mason, returning to their home on Monday.

William Davee and son from Avon, Mass., are stopping with his brother, H. G. Davee, a few weeks and working around his place. Mr. Davee, with his family, will make their permanent home here next spring. A flag pole was erected on the shed and on the morning of the Fourth the Stars and Stripes floated majestically on the breeze.

Gov. Long arrived at his summer home on Sunday, the 14th. He came over the road with his team from Hingham, Mass.

Mrs. Hendley from Lexington, Mass., is visiting Miss Mary S. Davee.

On the morning of the fifth Mrs. Jane (Chase) Cole, widow of the late Rassales Cole, passed away. Mrs. Cole had lived on North Hill for over fifty years and was very highly esteemed by all her neighbors and a large circle of friends. She leaves an only child, a daughter, Mrs. Mary S. Davee, who had always lived with her parents up to the time of their death. One sister survives, Mrs. Merdina Philbrook, who was able to be with her sister in her last days, and is still with her niece, Mrs. Davee. The funeral was held from the house on Sunday, the 7th, Rev. Mr. Munson speaking words of comfort to the many friends.

NORTHWEST BETHEL.

Ernest Bennett visited his aunt, Mrs. George Mason, at this place recently. Mr. B. had just got through work on the river.

Eben Scribner was on this side of the river the 14th. He is at work in A. S. Bean's mill.

Bert Tyler works for Amy Bean through haying.

Woodchucks are very numerous and extremely destructive to crops at this place.

Mrs. Annie Olcutt of Boston, Mass., is stopping with her sister, Mrs. William Chapman, awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Thurston of Portland have been at the homestead on a visit, but have now returned to their home.

Eben Chapman has a nice cow that is apparently a sufferer from rheumatism. He is afraid he will lose her.

Howard Chapman's health is very poor.

D. W. Pratt and wife are at home to do their haying. They have been working at Norway for some weeks.

Rob Stearn's nice colt stuck a stub into the foreleg muscle between the knee and shoulder. It was doing nicely at last reports.

Mrs. Sarah P. Bean is looking forward to a visit from her son Arthur, who has been absent for nineteen years. He wrote that he should leave California, July 2, and visit his people in Massachusetts before coming here. His business is in connection with silver mining and he is obliged to be in old Mexico in September. A short vacation is to be appreciated when one is gone so many years.

Elmer Stearns was up from Hanover the 14th on his wheel.

ANDOVER.

Methodist circle last week at the town hall, where ice cream was served.

Rev. William Jackson and family from Providence, R.I., are stopping at French's. They have taken their vacation in Andover for several years. Mr. Jackson enjoys fishing very much.

Dr. Q. A. Bridges, a physician from Guilford, who practiced here for a time, gave us a short call on his way home from New Hampshire, where he and his bride have been to visit his people.

George A. Newton and family have gone to the lakes for the season. He has charge of the house at "The Birches."

Mr. Maynard from Chicago is visiting Mr. Norcross.

Who has not a bicycle in town?

The flies are coming; let us all get the oil of lavender and sprinkle around the house. It is the best thing that I can use.

We would not be behind other towns in mentioning our aged people while they are still living, especially the ladies. Mrs. Eliza Poor, who is over eighty years of age, and in poor health, too, is as bright and jolly as many who are younger. She takes an interest in every thing that occurs, does some light work, and it is a pleasure to converse with her. She lives with her niece, who takes the best of care of her. Then we have Mrs. E. E. Merrill, another lady who is over eighty and enjoys good health and much happiness. She does a great deal of needlework, has made several beautiful silk quilts since she became eighty years of age, showing what perseverance and industry can do. She is also interested in the farm work, and seems to have a care for everything around her. She is cared for by her loving daughters and sons, of which she has several. We would also speak of still another nice lady, who is quite aged and very feeble, Mrs. Catharine Poor, and one of our eldest residents, who is kindly cared for by her son and daughter. All of these ladies are good, Christian women.

NORTH BRIDGTON.

Mrs. John Burnell is among the sick ones.

Mrs. Ina Robinson and her little daughter Grace have gone to Ohio to remain with relatives.

Ada F. Cobb is at home from Worcester, Mass., on a vacation.

B. J. Fitz is canvassing in Andover.

Juliette A. and Marietta Griffin arrived at the Griffin homestead Saturday night.

Mrs. J. C. Wells is recovering from a severe illness.

Mrs. J. K. Stone is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. H. Bird, in Dorchester, Mass.

Lily A. S. Brown has spent two weeks in Boston and vicinity, attending the C. E. Convention during the time.

Mrs. John Griffith and daughter Leah of Bakersfield, Kern Co., California, are at Mrs. S. A. Dudley's.

L. S. Monk opened his house, The Arcade, for the public July 15.

Carrie Hamlin, after spending two weeks with her parents here, has gone to visit her brother at Bartlett, N. H.

Mrs. Chloe Woodsum is stopping for a short time with her son's family in Harrison.

Ernest Jordan of Casco was in our village last Saturday.

Kate L. Foster is visiting her father and sister in Boston and Somerville, Mass.

E. S. Frisbee and family are living on the Churchill place.

Lena Jordan from Rhode Island is at her cousin's, J. C. Mead's.

Caddie E. Webb of Washington, D. C., is visiting relatives here.

Several guests have arrived at Martin's Hotel.

SWEDEN.

After a short sickness William Mann died, Tuesday, June 25th, aged 83 years. The Rev. J. H. Rounds conducted funeral services at his late residence, Friday the 28th. Alvin Bailey, mother and little daughter, of E. Boston, and also Mr. Pingree of Gloucester, Mass., were at the services. The rain prevented other near relatives from being present. He leaves a deeply afflicted wife, one son, one brother and five sisters. Alvin Bailey has returned to Boston; his mother and little daughter will remain with Mrs. Mann this summer.

The neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young gave them a surprise party Tuesday evening, July 2nd. Many nice and useful articles were carried, and a well filled purse of money was given them. Ice cream and cake was served to over forty. After spending an hour socially, their friends left with many good wishes for their future.

Owen Stone, and son Walter, of Salem, Mass., are at Mrs. J. M. Stone's.

Mrs. William Jeffery and children of Boston, Mass., are at Minot Nevers'. Mr. Jeffery, who came with his family, returned the past week.

Mrs. George R. Kimball of North Bridgton, and Mrs. Briggs of Medfield, Mass, were in town Tuesday.

Cora Brackett is at her brother's, Seth Brackett's.

Bertha Pike had a fine display of fireworks the night before the Fourth at Webber's Corner.

Bertha C. Hamlin of North Waterford has just visited at L. S. Plummer's. Also J. Waldo Nash, wife and little daughter, have just visited their aunt, Mrs. Mary Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Edwards of Bolster's Mills are at their farm cutting the hay.

Grace Skillings of Bolster's Mills has just visited Mrs. Charles Evans.

Russell Edwards and Charles Skillings were here the Fourth.

Mrs. Angelia Palmer of Brooklyn, Mass., is at her father's, John Plummer's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of North Lovell spent the Sabbath at Mrs. J. S. Richardson's.

Mrs. McLucas and daughter of Portland are at Mrs. Richardson's.

Alice L. Perry is just home from a visit in Boston and vicinity.

Andrew S. Brown and wife of Norway were at O. V. Edwards' Sunday.

A. H. Whitehouse and wife are at their farm haying.

Bertha Holden is at Bridgton Highlands.

Frank N. Evans went to the Profile House N. H., the Fourth.

Our farmers improved the fine weather the past week and gathered a large part of their hay in a fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hill returned to Chicopee, Mass., the past week.

J. Howe of Lovell and Frank Abbott of Somerville, Mass, were in town Saturday.

Benj. Wilson of North Lovell, is at work for L. S. Plummer.

Joe Adams and family are stopping at his recent purchase, the Charles Hamlin place. Addison Flint is helping him cut the hay.

Mr. Bodwell of Portland has just been in this section looking for a farm.

Miranda and Mrs. Joseph Billings of South Waterford recently visited at J. W. Perry's.

J. A. Young sold his farm to A. H. Whitehouse the past week. We feel sorry to lose such nice neighbors.

Waldo Gray of Bridgton has completed his contract peeling hemlock on the Marr lots for M. E. Perry. One of his men, Mr. Boston, is still Peeling for Mr. Perry.

The hay crop in this vicinity is fully equal to last year. Some few have finished haying on their uplands.

Mrs. D. R. Smart and three children are stopping at Wm. H. Gordon's. They have been living the past five years in Englewood, Ill.

Rev. Mr. Bounds holds meetings every two weeks at Black Mountain schoolhouse.

Calvin G. Gordon saw a large bear's track on Sweden plains a short time ago.

John Ames and five other men hoed his piece of sweet corn in one day. There were nearly three acres in the piece.

Edgar Trover has bought the grass on the Wyman Nevers place in Sweden.

The apple crop will be light in this section.

SUMNER.

Nellie Foster has returned home from Auburn.

Wilson Greene and wife and daughter and son and wife and three children from Cambridge, Mass., are visiting Mr. Greene's sister, Mrs. E. H. Thompson.

E. P. Sturtevant helped shingle the front side of his house last week. He is eighty years old. He was born in Sumner and has always lived here. He has worked at carriage making sixty years last winter. He finished up six sleighs doing all the work himself, besides doing other shop work. Old age has stepped lightly on his shoulders, for he is as straight and as spry as most men at sixty. He has always been a democrat and voted every one since the Free Will Baptist church of which he is still a member. If you have any more such men let us hear from them.

Henry Poland has sold his oxen to Wm. Trask of Peru.

Nelson Burke has returned from Haverhill, Mass.

The farmers are busy haying.

UPTON.

Henry Raymond has commenced to build him a new blacksmith shop.

Mell Lombard is doing Chas. Chase's haying.

Osgood Godwin saw a big bear come out of the woods after his sheep the other day. He hollered and went into the house after his gun but when he got out bruin had gone.

Mrs. J. P. West has sold her farm in Cambridge for $2500 00 to E. S. Coe, also William Swett to same party for $1500 00.

The measles are dying out round here.

Rilla Morse is at work for Mrs. A. W. Judkins.

Emma Morse is at work for Mrs Sewell Lane.

Frank Bragg and wife in company with Enoch Abbott and Cora Chat have been on a trip to Colebrook.

Paul West stuck a needle into his finger in such a way that he had to take a razor to cut it out.

Thomas Warren has sold his cow to Lincoln Fuller.

EAST DENMARK

Sidney Orcutt has opened James Beck's store at Jordan's Corner, and is selling grain, flour and groceries. This store has been closed for a long time and the people in this vicinity are pleased to see it open again.

Alice Deering of Chicago is spending her vacation at her parental home, E. W. Deering's.

Mrs. E. P. Fessenden has been visiting her brother, Dr. Blaisdell, in Auburn.

James E. Ingalls, who has been living at Perley's Mills, moved back to his farm at Jordan's Corner last Saturday.

David York has moved to Bridgton.

Walter Berry comes out with a new top buggy.

Mrs. Amelia Mabery of Bridgton visited at E. P. Fessenden's last week.

Etta and Eddie Egan are spending their vacation with their grandmother and aunt, Mrs. J. W. and Lizzie Davis.

Henry Gustin got lamed last week by having a cart wheel go over his foot with a heavy load.

Secretary McKeen Sued.

Hon. B. Walker McKeen, the able secretary of the board of agriculture, whose efforts in the interest of Maine farmers have been so constant and efficient, has been sued by N. D. Baker, one of the men who have been pushing the creamery scheme for a Chicago concern, supposed to be W. S. Davis & Co. of Chicago, for alleged libel, the damages being placed at $10,000. Mr. McKeen's property in Fryeburg has been attached.

The suit is based on a letter which the secretary wrote Willis Dresser, and which by some means fell into the hands of Baker. One of the assertions which is claimed is libelous, is Mr. McKeen's statement where he said in connection with the Calais creamery project, that "no enterprise which promises a 12 per cent dividend to stockholders is genuine."

The secretary's counsel is Hon. Aa M. Spear of Gardiner and there is a prospect that he will bring a counter suit based on certain charges and statements made by the creamery men.

WEST PARIS.

Rev E. C. Bowls, L. L. D., of New York City Universalist church, will preach in the Universalist church next Sunday, July 21st. All are invited to attend.

The school-house being built by Mr Cook of South Paris is nearing completion on the outside and work will soon begin inside. This will make a very pleasant and convenient school-house.

Nearly all the farmers in this section are haying and good men for haying are scarce. This has been a bad week for them thus far.

Mr. Lane and family of Falmouth, Mass., have been visiting his brother, C. H. Lane, for the past two weeks.

Levi Shedd has made extensive repairs on his buildings recently purchased of L. E. Swan. He has remodeled the house throughout and painted them both inside and out and now has a fine set of buildings.

Rev. Walter Abbott preached at the Universalist church last Sunday.

Jennie M. Brown and Charles L. Brown attended the Christian Endeavor meetings at Boston last week.

A. J. Curtis and family of Boston are visiting at his father's, Adoniram Curtis', this week. Mr. Curtis was in business in this place for several years prior to his removal to Boston.

Mrs. Z J Wheeler is visiting friends in Aroostook county.

Will Pratt has purchased a bicycle.

The mill is being repaired where it was damaged by fire.

The Rebekahs of this place went to Rumford Falls Wednesday to do degree work for the lodge at that place. Our lodge here ranks second in the state for fine degree work and is in demand wherever new lodges are formed in this section of the state.

Several from this place celebrated the fourth at Lewiston and report a good time.

Business is rather quiet at this place, both mills being shut down through haying.

OBITUARY.

Sunday afternoon, June 23, our esteemed friend and neighbor, Benjamin F. Jackson, was suddenly called to pass that mystic river of death to meet his loved ones gone before in that higher life beyond.

Mr. Jackson had been in failing health for more than one year but had borne his increasing infirmities with that fortitude and patience so characteristic of the man through life; with that thoroughly unselfish nature he bore up to the last and cared for his luvalid wife with tenderness and love, uncomplaining of his own aches and pains.

He was of that social turn of mind that won for him a host of friends who will greatly miss their genial friend and neighbor. He was a kind and indulgent husband and father.

Mr. Jackson was a worthy member of the Baptist church on Paris Hill. He leaves an invalid wife and five children, four by his first wife and one by his second. His family have the deep sympathy of this community. JNO.

RUMFORD.

Guy Stevens from Massachusetts is visiting at W. W. Stevens'.

Georgie and Mattie Webber are at Henry Barker's.

Etta Estes from Waltham is boarding at Asa Stearns'.

Geo. W. Stearns with a crew of men is working on the roads near Rumford Falls.

Asa Martin and wife are visiting at C. Martin's in Auburn.

Several went to the circus at Rumford Falls last Thursday and report a very good show for a country town.

The people here at the Corner are nearly through haying, some having quite finished.

A tramp slept in a tumble of W. W. Stevens' hay behind his store last Friday night. J. W.

Mrs. Willis Adams of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting at M. F. Virgin's.

Mrs. Walter Bartlett of Bryant's Pond visited Anna Tuttle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt of Massachusetts is spending a short time with S. R. Hutchins.

Guy Stevens of Boston is a his father's, W. W. Stevens for the present.

WEST LOVELL.

Mandell Lebarron has done the haying on the Durgin place and at home.

Levi Butters of Stoneham is at work for John A. Fox and Perley McKeen at Z. McAllister's haying.

Wesley Smith of Stow was in town and bought a cow belonging to Enos Heald.

Lillian Lord is stopping at her sister's at the Center.

Lucy Elliott is at home preparing to go to North Conway.

David W. Nichols has moved his goods from Massachusetts and is living at his old home. Alex. Sawyer is at work for him through haying.

EAST BROWNFIELD.

Samuel Spring took fourteen of the young people of this place to the foot of Pleasant Mt. in a hayrack drawn by a pair of handsome grays, at an early hour the morning of the glorious Fourth. The party proceeded on foot to the summit where they spent the day, returning home without adventure other than making war upon a peaceable hedgehog which had taken refuge in the top of a tree and was only overcome by the united efforts of five boys, six girls and a revolver.

Mountain climbing is a favorite pastime with our people just now. A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. George Blake, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Giles, Bert Giles, Cora Giles and Georgia Getchell spent the Fourth on Chocorua Mt. in Tamworth, N. H. They took two days for the trip and declare that the fine views from the summit more than repaid them for all their exertions.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held July 11th; and the following board of officers chosen for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. William Stickney; vice prefident, Mrs. Scott Thurston; secretary, Delia Spring; treasurer, Addie Allard.

L. R. Giles and Cora Giles, Cora and Hannah Getchell, Louise and Hattie Eastman, Avilda Fessenden and Imogene Rounds are attending the C. E. Convention in Boston.

The Cong. Sewing Circle met with Mrs. Sarah Stickney July 10th. Next meeting in two weeks with Mrs. L. R. Giles.

Effie Allard has finished her school at Green Hill and is now at home.

Under the supervision of Mr. Morton, our schools this year have made a record of attendance at which all concerned have reason to be proud and which we doubt if Oxford County can beat. Out of an average attendance of 188 in the schools in town, 120 have not been absent one-half day. In the Grammar school at the Center taught by Mr. Morton himself with an average attendance of 35, 23 have not been absent one-half day.

WEST FRYEBURG.

The regular meeting of the Stirling Literary Club was held at the residence of Samuel Gordon, Fryeburg Village. A few members of the Library Club were also present and were heard in appropriate remarks after the program of the afternoon. An elegant tea was served in the early evening by the hostess, Mrs. Sue Gordon, assisted by Mary Gordon, daughter of the host. The feature of the evening was the charmingly rendered contralto songs sung by Mrs. Jacobs of Malden, Mass., a well known vocalist.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman of Newton, Mass., are guests of James and Stephen Hardy and Fred Meserve. Mrs. Coleman is a native of this section and is a daughter of James Meserve of Menotony.

Mr. and Mrs. Bridge are guests of James H. Hardy and are from Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Rebecca Caldwell accompanied her son and daughter, Will Bryant and Mrs. M. Harriman to North Conway where they may remain for the summer or longer.

Letters of regret for the seeming want of courtesy to the Library and Stirling Clubs and disclaiming any intentional slight on the part of the members of the Woman's Literary Union of Portland have been received by the president of Stirling Club, Mrs. Emma E. Towle.

A showery day enforced the divine ordinance as to a day of rest Sunday last for the haymakers had to give up work and go home.

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WEST BROWNFIELD

A private concert, with readings, was given at the Cragmont last week by the summer residents. Everett Hutchins of Lyndonville, Vermont, opened the entertainment with a piano solo. Genevieve Luneschloss of Boston, soprano singer at the Jamaica Plain Universalist church, sang several pieces very acceptably. She is a pupil at the Conservatory of Music in Boston, and intends taking a complete course in oratorio singing. Mrs. May Patterson of Dover, N. H., gave a fine reading of "The Brakeman," which called for an encore. Marion Dougherty of Cambridge displayed much talent with the mandolin. Mrs. Dougherty played a piano-medley. Mrs. Josephine Currier of Boston recited two original poems. Mrs. Whitney of Watertown read three selections in the usual charming manner, with which she has captivated many Boston audiences. Kellogg Durland of Boston read "Mavco Bozarris," and Isabel Whitney played a pretty little piano selection. The whole affair was very finely arranged, and was carried out with success.

Mrs. Charles Libby, of Boston, has been visiting Mrs. Eunice Cole, and is now at Colby Weeks'.

W. R. Tarbox and wife of Fryeburg visited the Whitneys last Sunday.

Haying has begun in good earnest. The farmers are getting an average crop.

Mrs. A. H. Perry has recovered from her late illness, and on her 81st birthday, July 10th, received gifts from her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Her sister, Mrs. Mary Libby of this place, was 83 on the 16th.

Mrs. Martha Linscott, who resides in Boston winters, is here with her sister, Eunice Cole. Her son Perley and wife, and Mrs. Collemer, his wife's mother, from Boston, are camping for the summer in a tent, not far from the house.

Edgar Giles has been visiting at his father's, John Giles', and has returned to Exeter, N. H., where he works in a shoe shop.

WEST SUMNER.

Dr. O. K. Yates and wife of West Paris, and his daughter and son-in-law, Rev. Mr. Wheeler and wife, were at Dr. Andrew's July 11th.

Harold Bates has been home from Brunswick on a visit.

Geo. Bisbee had a very pleasant call from his cousin Calvin Bisbee of Bethel who was calling on relatives and friends.

Calvin Harden had a sick spell and was obliged to have a doctor.

Mrs. Dr. Andrews and Mrs. Edgerly went to West Paris last Friday.

Miss Geneva Barrett from Sumner Hill was the welcome guest of Mrs. H. O. Tuell one day last week.

Ethel Heald has returned from South Paris where she has been on a visit.

Charlie Handy went to Andover, Hanover and Rumford last Thursday, returning Friday.

H. O. Tuell works for G. A. Chandler in haying.

The buildings of John Morrill were burned on the morning of July 15th.

Abbie Tuell of Fall River, Mass., is at her brother's, Stetson Tuell's.

Quite a large flock of lambs passed through here July 14th, en route for market.

Clifford Irish from Lynn, Mass., and a lady friend have visited relatives and friend here his native town.

Sidney A. Farrar of Stoneham, Mass., and son, Sidney D. of Melrose, Mass., have been at G. W. Heath's. They were on a hiking trip to Andover via Rumford Falls.

Leland Lane, wife and children from Falmouth, Mass., have visited his mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Horne from Braintree, Mass., came to their mother's Mrs. M. J. Pulsifer's, July 15th, for a few weeks vacation.

Harland Bisbee from Brunswick is stopping with friends in town.

Mrs. Hiram Howe and daughter, Mrs. L. P. Merrill, went to Lewiston to the Centennial and visited relatives.

Several people went from here to Lewiston to Buffalo Bill's circus.

F. W. Brett, principal of the grammar school in Braintree, Mass., took dinner with his superintendant, I. W. Horne, last Tuesday at Mrs. M. F. Pulsifer's. Mr. Brett is traveling in Maine in the interest of a publishing house during his vacation.

BRYANT'S POND.

Services were held at the Universalist church, Sunday, by Miss Powers, a classmate of Miss Earle, the latter being in Boston.

Mrs. M. P. Hathaway has returned from South Paris, where she has been working.

All persons interested in having a cattle fair at Bryant's Pond this fall are to meet at the town hall next Saturday, July 20, at 5 p. m. to make the necessary arrangements for it.

Mrs. Dr. Rankin and children from Mechanic Falls, spent Saturday night at Camp Christopher.

The New England Telephone Co. has strung two wires on its line through this town which makes our country road look quite "civilized." CLINTON.

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Non Resident Taxes

In the Town of Oxford in the County of Oxford and State of Maine for the year 1894.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Oxford for the year 1894, in bills committed to Sebastian S. Smith, Collector of Taxes of said Town, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1894, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1895, by his certificate of that date, and now remain unpaid:

And notice is hereby given that if the said taxes, interest and charges are not paid into the treasury of said town within eighteen months from the date of the commitment of the said bills so much of the real estate taxed as will be sufficient to pay the amount due therefor including interest and charges will without further notice be sold at public auction at the store of Silas E. King in said town on the 21st day of November, 1895, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

	Total tax unpaid.
Axon Charles, Tucker lot, 50 acres, value $100, unpaid highway tax 54 cts.	$ 1 90
Same, F. Gammon lot, 50 acres, value $80, unpaid highway tax, 57 cts.	64
Axon John, plains land, 30 acres, value $40, unpaid highway tax 22 cts.	62
Buckman J. A. heirs of, land near Moses Marshall's, 33 acres, value $125,	3 68
Same, land near Hackett's, 14 acres, value $70,	1 81
Same, H. R. Everett land, 8 acres, value $75,	1 92
Same, Nelson land, 10 acres, value $100,	2 94
Beaver Horace M., saw-mill, ¼ acre, value $4,000,	29 40
Same, land adjoining Matthews Pond, 200 acres, value $1,000,	29 40
Chickies, Mary Alvira, M. G. Webber farm, 83 acres, value $325,	11 77
Same, half Holmes lot in Oxford village, 3 acres, value $70